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## HISTORY AND GENEALOGY

OF

## THE DESCENDANTS

OF

# CLEMENT CORBIN

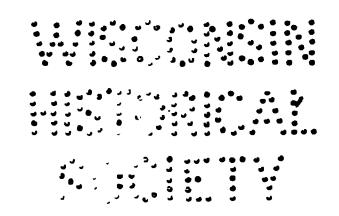
OF MUDDY RIVER (BROOKLINE), MASS.
AND WOODSTOCK, CONN.

WITH

NOTICES OF OTHER LINES OF CORBINS

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PREFACE.

### PREFACE.

The tracing of genealogies has become an ever more popular pursuit in recent years, until now many of the older and larger families of the country, especially the descendants from the early New England settlers, have a published volume on the subject. Several causes have led to this. One is the formation of patriotic societies, such as the Sons and the Daughters of the Revolution, and the desire to establish an eligibility to membership. Another cause doubtless is that, with the ever-increasing tide of foreign immigration, a relatively less number of our people trace back to ancestors who were here before the Revolution. Then there is the growing historical interest. Some people may be inclined to call the present eagerness to trace one's ancestry a "fad," and suppose that it will soon pass away. On the contrary, I believe that it is a work of importance and lasting interest. The motto of one of our genealogical magazines is "To preserve the memorials of our ancestors; a duty to them and to posterity." Certainly there will be those among our descendants who will be profoundly grateful to us for preserving from oblivion the knowledge of our families which is now attainable. Someone has said that "those who care nothing for their progenitors will themselves do nothing of which their own descendants will be proud." There may be exceptions to this, but I believe that genealogical interest marks an advanced stage of civilization and progress. Our New England ancestors were worthy, honorable, and God-fearing We owe to them not only our existence, and people. the qualities which we gain from heredity, but many of the blessings which we enjoy today in this land of liberty. A study of their lives will make us more anxious to emulate their virtues and to avoid any faults that would bring shame to our own descendants.

The present work owes its origin to the interest and labors of several persons. Mr. Rufus Corbin of New York began, about 1890, investigating his Corbin ancestry, and soon undertook the work of gathering material for a general family genealogy. About the same time Mr. Ernest Corbin, a school principal in Albany, N. Y., began similar work. Each of these was at first unknown to the other, but in 1894 they became acquainted, and, being congenial spirits, formed a close friendship and carried on the work together from that time on. They sent out a circular for information, and continued to gather information as they had opportunity, intending at length to combine it for publication. But Mr. Rufus Corbin died of typhoid pneumonia, February 12, 1898, and Mr. Ernest Corbin, though considerably younger, succumbed to typhoid fever August 26, 1899. The genealogical material gathered by the latter remained as he left it until November, 1903, when Mrs. Ernest Corbin very kindly handed it over to the present compiler, who had expressed a willingness to com-Unfortunately, much of Mr. Rufus Corbin's plete it. material was destroyed before that time, but what remained was also given to the compiler by the family. Probably the lost portion has nearly all been recovered. The gratitude of all Corbins is due to these two worthy representatives of the family, who did so much pioneer work to gather the facts of the family history and to arouse an interest in others.

The compiler put the material which came to him in order, and has added about three times as much to it to form the present work. Credit is due to many others who have collected information and who cheerfully put it at the disposal of the compiler. Among these he would mention especially, Mr. Monroe H. Corbin of Webster, Mass., Mr. Raymond Van Syckle of Detroit, Mich., Mr. William G. Bosworth of New York, Mr. Harmon Corbin of Friendship, N. Y., Mr. George Corbin of New Britain, Conn., Dr. G. E. Corbin of St. Johns, Mich., Mr. Henry Corbyn of Kirkwood, Mo., besides many others. Grateful acknowledgment is also made of the financial assistance rendered by several of the Corbins, which has made it pos-

sible to publish this book without loss and to insure some compensation to the compiler for the long task. Among these are: Mr. Harmon Corbin of Friendship, N. Y., Mr. Philip Corbin of New Britain, Conn., Mr. Jay Corbin and Mr. Amasa Corbin of Gouverneur, N. Y., Mr. William G. Bosworth of New York, and members of the family of the late Austin Corbin of New York.

The work as now offered is far from being complete in all lines. This is usually the case with every genealogy, as it is practically impossible to obtain a record of all the descendants. There are doubtless also many mistakes, although great pains has been taken to make everything complete and correct. Some persons are given fuller sketches than others equally or more deserving. This is due, not to partiality, but to the fact that the material came to hand in one case and not in the other.

The main body of the book is taken up with the descendants of Clement Corbin. Other Corbins settled in America, especially in Virginia. No attempt has been made to include this numerous southern branch, now widely scattered over the West. But there seems to have been at least one other line of New England Corbins from a different emigrant. These lived in western Connecticut, Dutchess County, N. Y., and Vermont. All the scattered information on this line of Corbins which has come in is included in the last part of the book. It may be of value later to some member of that line who wishes to prepare a complete genealogy of his branch of Corbins.

In July, 1904, at the kind invitation of Mr. Amasa Corbin, a number of Corbins gathered at the Murray Hill Hotel, Thousand Islands, and spent three or four days in delightful companionship. This was the first attempt at a general Corbin reunion. It is proposed to hold one in August, 1905, at Woodstock, Conn., the original home. It is hoped that the publication of this book and such reunions may serve to get the scattered Corbins acquainted with one another, stimulate a worthy family pride, and help us all so to live as to bring new credit to the already honored Corbin name.

The compiler, whose present address is Putnam, Conn. (or permanent address Union, Conn.), requests that any further information, especially in regard to the earlier

generations or missing branches, be sent in to him, as he intends to continue his research on the family. If there is sufficient reason for it a supplement may be issued later. Putnam, Conn., April, 1905.

HARVEY M. LAWSON.

### THE NAME "CORBIN."

Bardsley's "Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames" gives the following: "Corbyn, Carbine, Corbin; (1) local, 'of Corbyn,' probably a Norman locality; (2) baptismal, 'the son of Corbin.' Probably two origins."

Arthur's Dictionary of Surnames gives: "Corbin, local; the name of a place in Glencreon, Scotland, signifying a

steep hill, from the Gaelic Cor-beann or Corbein."

I think, however, that both of the above explanations of the origin of the name are inadequate. The clew to its real origin is in the fact that the Corbin coat-of-arms had on it three ravens, with the motto, "Deus pascit corvos," "God feeds the ravens." It seems, therefore, that the sign of the Corbin family was the raven or crow—Latin, Corvus, French, Corbeau, or ancient form, Corbin—from which the name was undoubtedly derived. It seems that the hardy warriors belonging to this clan adopted the raven as their sign; hence the name.

The Corbins were originally French, or Norman, and the name in France today is spelled as with us, Corbin. In England, however, the prevailing spelling has been Corbyn. One branch of the descendants of Clement Corbin, the family of Joseph P. (William, Philip, James, Clement), in which there were three brothers who were Episcopal clergymen, adopted the spelling *Corbyn*, which they continue to the present day. These brothers, on traveling in England, found the name spelled Corbyn there and considered that the more correct, as formerly i and j were the same.

### THE CORBINS OR CORBYNS IN ENGLAND.

The history of the Corbins goes back to the time of the Norman Conquest, when William the Conqueror defeated the Britons at the battle of Hastings in 1066 and was crowned king of England the next year. Then began the

Norman emigration to England, when many Norman families crossed the English Channel and became the

ruling families of England.

A book, "The Battle Abbey Roll," published in London in 1889, which gives the list of those who were with William the Conqueror at the battle of Hastings, mentions the Corbin name four times. The book states that on the settlement of England by the followers of William, the Corbins were undertenants until about the year 1154-6, when they became possessed of large estates through marriage, and had at least three coats-of-arms.

The Corbins were of Normandy prior to the eleventh century. There are many Corbins in France today. This may have given rise to the theory held by some that the American Corbins are of Huguenot origin. A branch of the Corbins from Normandy settled on the Isle of Guernsey, one of the Channel Islands, belonging to Great Britain. This branch had a coat-of-arms, described in Burke's "General Armory" as follows: "Argent [white] on a chief or [gold], three ravens sable," etc. Motto, "Deus pascit corvos." (God feeds the ravens.)

The exact date of the settlement of a Corbin in England is not known, but the earliest record now existing shows that Robert Corbin of Normandy was in Staffordshire, England, in 1180 and in 1195. Geoffrey Corbin is also

mentioned in 1194, and Walter Corbin in 1272.

(See the "History of Staffordshire," by Shaw, II, p. 230.)

One of the branches of the Staffordshire Corbins settled in Warwickshire later. A MSS. left by Camden Clarenceoux, King-at-Arms in 1612, mentions as follows: "The family of Corbin, whose ancient seat is Corbin's Hall, within Trinford Parish in Staffordshire, where most of them had their residence." The earliest settler in Warwickshire is given in Dugdale's "Visitation of Warwickshire," p. 1119, to wit: "Nicholas Corbin married Johanna Sturmie and by her inherited Hall End, in Whittington, in the time of King Richard III." A descendant of his, Richard, lived in the reign of King Henry VIII. Richard's son Thomas, who died in 1584, had a son George, who died in 1636. This George Corbin is mentioned also in MSS. of the King-at-Arms as being of the

seventeenth generation in direct descent from Robert Corbin of Normandy. To him was confirmed by the Kingat-Arms the Corbin coat-of-arms. He married Maria Fount of Foston, and they had a son Thomas (18) born May 24, 1594, who died a young man in 1631, leaving three sons, Thomas (19), born 1624, Henry, and George. The coat-of-arms confirmed to George Corbin by the College of Heraldry, London, about 1600, is given by Burke as follows: "Sable, on a chief or, three ravens proper." (Black, on a chief of gold, three ravens proper.)

The older main branch of the Corbins in Staffordshire bore the same arms, except that the lower part of the shield was silver instead of black. Most of the Corbins of England use the latter style, with the silver shield; and the crest of the Staffordshire Corbins is given by Burke as: "A dexter hand proper, holding a cross pattee fitchee, azure."

### THE CORBINS OF VIRGINIA.

Several Corbins seem to have emigrated from England and settled in Virginia and Maryland. The most prominent of these was Henry Corbin, who was born in Warwickshire, England, in 1629. He was son (?) of Thomas Corbin, sixteenth in descent from Robert Corbin the Norman. Henry Corbin came to Virginia in 1654, and settled finally on a tract of land called Peckatone, in the parish of Strathon Major in Westmoreland County, where he built a fine brick mansion, which stood until destroyed by fire a few years ago. Henry Corbin was prominent in the colony of Virginia. His son, Garvin Corbin, became president of the Council of Virginia. Garvin's son, Richard Corbin, used his influence to procure Washington This family of a commission as lieutenant in 1752. Corbins intermarried with the Lees and other prominent families of old Virginia. (See Bishop Meade's "Old Churches of Virginia.") Other Corbins lived in Northampton and Accomac counties.

The Henry Corbin family had a coat-of-arms as follows: Sable on a chief or, three ravens proper. Motto, "Probitas Verus Honos." (Honesty is True Honor.)

### EARLY CORBINS IN NEW ENGLAND.

The earliest mention of a Corbin in New England is of a John Corbin, who was master of a fishing ship, and carried a letter from William Holton at Piscataqua to John Winthrop at Agawam, April 18, 1633.

(N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register, Vol. 31, p. 180.)

The next Corbin mentioned is Robert Corbin. In Winthrop's "History of New England," Vol. II, p. 348, we read: "Richard Knight of Weymouth undertook for Robert Corbin, Master of the Speedwell, to appear at the next court to answer the action of Edward Wyatt and to abide the order of the court." This was June 15, 1637. Robert Corbin married Lydia, daughter of Richard Martin; no issue. (Savage's Gen. Dict.) On May 20, 1658, he received a grant of land at Casco Bay. (4 Records of Mass., p. 357.) He settled at Casco Bay, now Maine, and on October 19, 1658, signed a statement, acknowledging himself subject to Massachusetts. He was killed there, as stated in Hubbard's "Indian Wars," Vol. II, pp. 138, 143, 144: "On the morning of August 11, 1676, a party of Indians began their attack on Casco Bay. One picket, not knowing this, went up in a canoe towards Robert Corbin's house. After a little while he heard guns shot off. He came back. The Indians appeared on the shore. The Indians, passing from Anthony Brocket's to Corbin's, killed Corbin himself. Corbin's wife, with one of the other men's wives and the children of another of them, they carried off."

This Robert Corbin was a cousin of Clement Corbin, as is shown by the York Deeds, Vol. VIII, Folio 166, where Clement Corbin proved by John Phillips and Jabez Buckminster, August 28, 1681, that he was a cousin of Robert Corbin. James Corbin, son of Clement, sold "the residence of his kinsman, Robert Corbin," at Casco, to John Rogers of Boston, October 20, 1698; the deed was acknowledged October 24th of the same year. James was styled "mason," of Woodstock, County of Suffolk, Province of Massachusetts Bay.

A Robert Corbin of Weymouth, Mass., was a soldier in King Philip's war in 1675. This was probably not the same as the above, but may have been the Robert, "master of the Speedwell."

Letter from John Corbin of Upway, Dorsetshire, England, to Ralph Sprague of Charlestown, Mass., his son-in-law: (From the N. E. Gen. Register, Vol. IV, p. 289.)

"Deare and loving sonne; —

Raife Sprague my true love evermore remembered unto you, hoping in the Lord of your good health, as God bee praised I am and all the rest of our friends att the writing hereof. Loving sonne, I do entreat you very earnestly that so soon as you have receaved this letter you would not fayle to write unto mee your mynde about the tenement of yours in Upway being now in the possession of Thomas Murrie. Also I am very sorrie to understand that my brother-inlaw John Holland should report that he receaved a letter from your brother Richard that you were dead but I give God praise that I heare to the contrary. I pray you to remember my love to your brother Richard Sprague and William Sprague. Also all our loving friends in generall have remembered their loving and kinde commendations unto you. And you may assure yoursealfe that I and all the rest of your loving friends would bee very glad to see you heare with us before wee die, and you shall bee kindly welcome to us. I pray you, loving sonne, not to fayle to send me answer of this letter as soon as you can conveniently. And so I leave you with my prayers to the heavenly protexion of the Almighty who in his mercy blesse preserve and keep you and so I rest

Yr loving father in law till Death

JOHN CORBIN.

Upway, March 25th, 1651."

This Ralph Sprague married Joan, daughter of John Corbin, writer of this letter, and came to America in 1628-9. She married, 2d, Edward Converse.

### TABLE OF EARLY GENERATIONS SHOWING MAIN LINES OF DESCENT.

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Clement Corbin

### FIRST GENERATION.

### CLEMENT CORBIN.

1. CLEMENT CORBIN, the ancestor of a numerous posterity in America, was born in England in 1626. His exact birthplace is not known, nor his connection with the Corbins in England who descended from the Norman emigrants. The most reliable family tradition states that he was "from the west of England, called a Welchman." (This was the record of Rev. Laban Ainsworth [Mary Ainsworth, Mary Marcy, James, Clement] and was furnished by Mr. Francis J. Parker of Boston.) A man of the same name settled in the Barbadoes, where he was an inhabitant and a landholder in 1638. Nor are the names of Clement Corbin's parents known definitely.

In an ancestral chart the late Ernest A. Corbin gave as the parents of Clement Corbin, "John and Margaret Corbin." I have not been able to find his authority for this, but it seems probable, as both names were common in the family later. In almost all branches of the family there is a tradition that two, sometimes three, brothers came over from England. One tradition gives these as Philip and John. It is possible that one of the Johns mentioned above, under "Early Corbins in New England," may have been the father of Clement.

There is a strong tradition in several branches of the family that the Corbins were of French Huguenot origin. This is entirely possible, as there were and still are many Corbins in France. The Huguenots were especially persecuted in France from about 1560 to 1572, when the Massacre of St. Bartholomew took place. From 1598 to 1685 they were protected to some extent by the Edict of Nantes, after which a great emigration took place to England and America. Clement Corbin's parents or grand-parents may have fled from the earlier persecution. If this is the case they belonged to a class which included some of the best people of France.

Clement Corbin is said to have come to America in

1637.\* At this time Clement would have been only eleven years old. Hence, if he came then, he must have had some older relative with him, probably his cousin Robert, or possibly his parents, as there were other Corbins in eastern Massachusetts at an early date. But it seems more probable to the writer that he came over some time between 1640 and 1650, during the great period of Puritan emigration to New England. This class included some of the best people of England, who crossed the seas for the sake of religious liberty, and who made New England, and to a considerable extent the whole country, what it has been.

Clement Corbin was married to Dorcas Buckminster (or Buckmaster) March 7, 1655, by Capt. Humphrey Atherton. She was the daughter of Thomas and Joanna Buckmaster and was born in 1629. (The name Buckminster is found in the records of all of the first and second generations.) Thomas Buckminster was born in Wales, as was also his wife, Joanna. He was here in 1640, and was made a freeman May 6, 1646. He died at Muddy River September 30, 1656. His widow, Joanna, married Edward Garfield September 1, 1661, and died in 1676.

The children of Thomas and Joanna Buckminster were Dorcas, Zackery, Elizabeth (m. Spowell), Mary (m. Stevens), Thomas, Joseph, and Jabesh, or Jabez.

He made the following will, dated September (or July) 2, 1656, and recorded in Vol. VI of the Suffolk County Probate Records.

"2 of ye 7th month, 1656. I Thomas Buckmaster of Muddy River, being now sick & in my owne apprehension neare ye day of my death, yet being in my perfect sences, doe make this my last will.

I give to my son Zachery forty shillings, to my daughter Elizabeth Spowell, daughter Mary Stevens, daughter Dorcas Corben fourty shillings each. To my son Thomas, son Joseph, son Jabesh fourty shillings (each to be paid when severally one and twenty years of age). To my daughter Spowell's ten children, twenty shillings, to be put into ye deacon's hands to be improved for ye Children's learning. Unto my daughter Stephens' two children, twenty shillings, daughter Corben's children ten shillings, to my son Zachery's child ten shillings. — wife Joanna, Executrix, giving unto

<sup>\*</sup>This is so stated by Rufus Corbin and Ernest Corbin, but I have not been able to find their authority for it. They may have taken it from the reference to Robert Corbin being in Massachusetts in 1637.

her all my lands and goods. It is my will that my two youngest sons, Joseph and Jabesh dwell with my wife and faithfully serve her till they be one and twenty years of age, but if my wife shall marry before they come to ye age, they shall be free. I give to my daughter Sarah forty shillings, to be paid at her day of marriage, or at ye age of one and twenty years; this was forgotten to be set in place with ye rest; this is my will.

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Wittn JNO. WINCHESTER JNO. LAWRENCE.

John Winchester deposed before ye magistrate 23 Nov. 1656, yt he writ the paper which he also read to Thomas Buckmaster who declared it to be his last will.

EDWARD RAWSON, RECORDER"

The inventory of his estate, taken November 2, 1656, by Peter Oliver and Jno. Winchester, amounted to £112 16s. 6d.

In the fall of 1656 Clement Corbin bought 42 acres of land at Muddy River in Boston, as shown by the Suffolk Deeds, Boston, Vol. II, p. 303, from which the following is taken:

On Oct. 7, 1656 Jane Tare "now wife of Richard Tare, heretofore the widow of Jno. Parker late of Boston, together with Thomas Parker his sonne," upon payment of £10 by Clement Corbin, sold him "that parcel of Land commonly known by the Eighth Lott Scittuated Att Muddy River, being forty-two acres more or less."

This Muddy River, where he lived, is now Brookline. It joined Roxbury, and there Clement Corbin and family worshiped in the old First Church, of which John Eliot, the "Apostle to the Indians," was the pastor. Clement Corbin gave £1 10s. towards building the first meeting-house at Roxbury. Clement Corbin also bought land at Muddy River in 1663. There is a record in the Suffolk Deeds, I, p. 32, that "Clement Corbin took up a stray hiefer Dec. 16, 1664." In 1687 he was taxed at Muddy River 4s. and 6d. on 19 acres of land, 6 head of cattle, 1 colt, 10 sheep, 2 swine, and 2 housing. (Brookline Records.)

His name appears on the tax lists at Muddy River as late as December 31, 1691, but it is not certain that he was still living there at that time, as he may have gone to Woodstock but still retained property at his former home.

In 1686 the people of Roxbury started the settlement of "New Roxbury," now Woodstock, Conn., the story of

which is interestingly told in Miss Larned's "History of Windham County, Conn." "The Roxbury people were the best that came from England," and filled many of the highest offices in the colonial government. About this time they found themselves straitened for room, and so sent out a colony to found the new settlement. Among the original settlers and proprietors to go to Woodstock in 1686 was James Corbin, son of Clement, then a young man twenty-one years of age and unmarried. His father was then sixty years of age. Hence it seems that the young man came as a pioneer to prepare the way for the coming of the rest of the family. James Corbin drew home lot No. 2, situated on the west side of Plaine Hill (now Woodstock Hill) and containing 20 acres. It seems probable that Clement Corbin and family came to Woodstock the next year, 1687, for at a town meeting held at Woodstock, January 7, 1688, there "was granted to Clemt Corbin a 20 acre lott wth all Rights provided he pay al charges past present and to come, according to his proportion." This was home lot No. 43, "which he had before possessed," situated on the northwest side of the highway to Muddy Brook. Jabez Corbin also received a home lot, No. 48, near his father's. Clement Corbin is spoken of as from Brookline, Mass. He was one of the four persons, not from Roxbury, to whom lots were assigned.

The children of Clement and Dorcas Corbin were all born at Muddy River. The first three were baptized at the First Church, Boston, April 6, 1662. The baptism of the last four (Jabez, Dorcas, Joanna, and Margaret) was recorded in the Church Records of Roxbury by Rev. John Eliot, the missionary to the Indians, but at that time pastor of the Roxbury church.

Children:

2. i. Thomas, b. about 1656, probably.

3. ii. MARY, b. about 1658, probably. 4. iii. John, b. about 1660, probably.

5. iv. James, b. March 31, 1665 (Boston Records).

6. v. JABEZ, bapt. Feb. 23, 1667-8.

vi. Dorcas, bapt. Nov. 13, 1670; probably d. young as there is no mention of her in her father's will, 1696.

vii. Joanna, bapt. Feb. 9, 1672-3; also called Hannah; d. Oct. 6, 1686.

7. viii. MARGARET, bapt. March 21, 1675-6.

(Eliot's records are given in the old style of chronology, and hence they are confusing to one not versed in it. The months were numbered differently than at present, i. e., September was the 7th, October the 8th, November the 9th, December the 10th, January the 11th, and February the 12th; then March was the 1st, and so on. But the old year was supposed to continue through the months of January, February, and to March 25th, which accounts for the double dates given in connection with those months. Until 1752 the year began on Annunciation Day, March 25th, which was old style, but after that on Jan. 1st, the new style. Hence when double dates are given, to make it the modern style the last year should be read. Eliot's records of baptisms are:

"1667 Moneth 12, day 23 Jabesh son to ——— Corbin.
1670 Moneth 9, day 13, Dorcas dau. to ——— Corbin.
1672 Moneth 12 day 9, Joanna dau. to ——— Corbin.
1675 Moneth 1 day 21, Margret dau. to Clement Corbin."

Eliot also records the death of a Margaret Corbin "Moneth 7 day 24, 1675," which would be Sept. 24, 1675; hence it seems that there was another child, Margaret, who died young and from whom the other Margaret, born the following March, was named.)

Clement Corbin died at Woodstock August 1, 1696. His wife, Dorcas, died there Jan. 21, 1722 (town records) or Jan. 22, 1721 (tombstone) aged 92. Both are buried in the old cemetery at Woodstock Hill, near the southwest corner. Their son, Lieut. Jabez Corbin, is also buried near and has a stone. These stones were renovated about 1897 by Love Brothers at Webster, Mass., through the thoughtfulness and generosity of Mrs. Caroline Fairfield Corbin of Chicago. While they were at the marble works at Webster a photograph was taken, which is here shown.

The following deed of Clement Corbin to his son Jabez is self-explanatory.

<sup>&</sup>quot;To all Christian People to whom these Presents shall come Clement Corbin of Woodstock in the County of Suffolk within the Collony of Massachusetts Bay in New England & Dorcas his wife sendeth greeting: Know ye that I Clement Corbin, in consideration of my parental love and fatherly affection to my well beloved son Jabez Corbin of Woodstock aforesaid and a considerable yearly sum to me secured in the law and to Dorcas my well beloved wife for which cause and considerations me thereunto moving and with which as with a valuable sum, I the said Clement Corbin for myself, my heirs," etc.—

<sup>&</sup>quot;All that my messuage (?) or tenement of housing and land containing a dwelling house and barn and the land adjoining, being a twenty acre home lott, with all rights and privileges in all after division either of upland or meadow or swamp divided or undivided, lying or being within ye town of Woodstock aforesd. The homelott being bounded on the highway easterly and on the common

south, west and north; Together with three cows and one calfe, two oxen a yoak & chain, Cart & wheels, one horse, Plow, ox bow, fork; Together with all my Swines (?) being about five; with all the privileges and appurtenances thereof, as trees timber, fences wood or any other thereto belonging, to have and to hold, possess and enjoy." etc. — "the said land being his by the voat of ye town of Woodstock";

In witness thereof the abovesd. Clement Corbin & Dorcas his wife have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals this 21st day of December Anno Dom. 1691 Annoque et Reginae Gulielmi et Mariae

Angliae &c. Tertio.

The mark of CLEMENT × CORBIN [SEAL] DORCAS × CORBIN [SEAL]

The above was acknowledged by Clement Corbin and Dorcas his wife, June 22, 1695-6, before Samuel Patrigg, Justice of the Peace.

There is another deed to James Corbin, in the same form, dated Dec. 21, 1691, and acknowledged June 22, 1696.

Last will and testament of Clement Corbin: (From the Suffolk County Probate Records, Boston, Vol. XI, p. 207, and Vol. XV, p. 333.)

"In the name of God, Amen. The sixth day of February, 1695-6, I, Clement Corbin of Woodstock in the County of Suffolk in the Province of Massachusetts Bay in New England, Husbandman, being through mercy in good mature health and of sound disposing mind and memory, yet knowing the uncertainty of the present life, and being desirous that peace and love may be kept and maintained in my Family after I am gone the way of all Flesh. Do therefore settle and dispose of my temporal Goods and Estate by this my last Will and Testament in manner as therein is hereafter expressed.

Imprimis. I will that all my just debts and necessary charges for my interment be well and truly paid and discharged with all

conveniency.

Item, and forasmuch as I have already settled my two sons (namely) James and Jabez Corbin, the said James upon my Land at Muddy River, and the said Jabez upon my Living at Woodstock, whereby I have given out comfortable portions of my Estate to them, for and under such conditions and Reservations as I have made with each of them, my son James standing obliged to pay the sum of Four score pounds unto whom I shall see good to order, the same at and before the end and Expiration of three years next after mine and my Wives deceased.

I do give and bequeath the said Four score pounds in manner

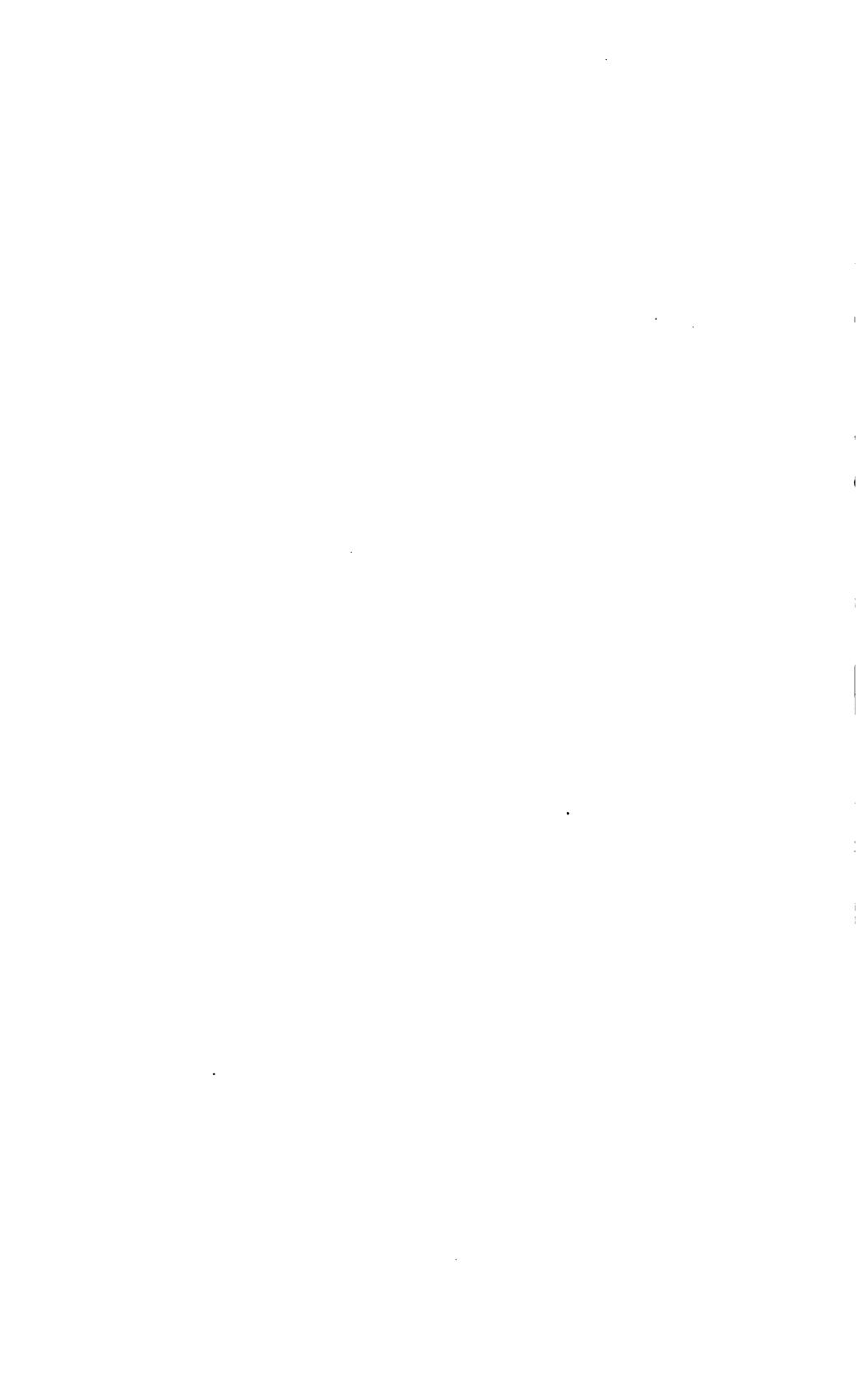
following.

That is to say Forty pounds thereof unto my daughter Mary Gardner and her heirs, and the other Forty pounds to my Daughter Margaret Davis and her heirs, the said sum to be paid in the same species as is expressed in his obligation.

GRAVESTONES OF THE FIRST CORBINS IN AMERICA,

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In the old cemetery at Woodstock, Conn. (Photo taken at Love's Monumental Works, Webster, Mass.)



Item. I give and bequeath unto my Eldest son Thomas Corbin, if he be yet living and return home and to his heirs Three hundred acres of land lying in Massamuggatick in the Nipmug Country, which with what I have advanced and disbursed for his Redemption out of Captivity will make up his portion of my estate.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Dorcas my loving Wife all my Goods and movables and other Estate not herein before disposed of, and make her my Executrix of this my last Will and Testament

hereby revoking all former Wills whatsoever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal

the day and year first above written.

Clement Corbin his marke and a seal; Signed, sealed and published by the within named Clement Corbin to be his last Will and Testament in presence of us.

JOSIAH DWIGHT. BENJAMIN SABIN. EDWARD MORRIS."

Examined by J. ADDINGTON.

The above will was probated by William Stoughton at Boston, Sept. 7, 1696.

On Sept. 17, 1696, the following inventory was presented.

Inventory. The inventory of the estate of Clement Corbin deceased, August 2, 1696, taken by us the subscribers the 14 of August at the desire of Dorcas Corbin, Relict, Widow of the said deceased.

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In wearing	cloa	ths	•	•	•	7 -
Gun .	•	•	•	•	•	12
Linnen	•	•	•	•	•	12
Pewter	•	•	•	•	•	1
Money	•	•	•	•	•	8 - 13
Bedding	•	•	•	•	•	11
Brass	•	•	•	•	•	3 - 4
Iron-ware	•	•	•	•	•	1 - 1
Wooden-wa	re	•	•	•	•	5
Land .	•	•	•	•	•	20
Cow .	•		•	•	•	3
Mortar, sie	ve, g	lass	bottle	es <b>,</b>	•	3 - 6
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BENJAMIN SABIN. NATHANIEL JOHNSON. EDWARD MORRIS.

### SECOND GENERATION.

2. Thomas Corbin (Clement), b. 1656 at Muddy River, was a sailor. He was captured by the Algerine pirates and redeemed by money given, at least in part, by his father. He is mentioned in his father's will in the following terms: "I give and bequeath unto my eldest son, Thomas Corbin, if he be yet living and return home, and to his heirs, three hundred acres of land lying at Mussamuggatick in the Nipmug country, which, with what I have advanced and disbursed for his redemption out of captivity, will make up his portion of my estate." As to this captivity a memorandum left by the Rev. Laban Ainsworth (1747-1858) says that Thomas Corbin was for eighteen years a captive in Turkey, was redeemed with a large sum, and was afterward married in England.

This tradition, except as to the length of captivity, is confirmed by a statement in the N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register, Vol. 38, p. 385, where is given a list of American captives redeemed in Algiers by the agent of Mr. William Borotill of London, merchant, at £40 each. It seems that some of the money was paid by the English government from a fund of £20,000 created in 1680. The name of Thomas Corbin of New England, of the ship "Blessing," is given in the list. The date in the statement is 1681,

probably that of the redemption.

From the statement in his father's will, it seems that after his redemption he again went to sea, and his whereabouts was unknown in 1696. From the following letters of administration it appears that he died before 1704, leaving a wife and children in England.

Letters of administration granted to Ellis Callender on the estate of Thomas Corbin, late of Boston, deceased:

"Thomas Corbin, late of Boston, aforesaid, mariner, some time since died Intestate, having Goods, Chattels, Rights or Credits in the County aforesaid; whereby the power of committing administration and full disposition of all and singular the Goods, Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said deceased and also the having, Examin-

ing and allowing the accounts of such examination doth appertain unto me, &c. &c. on behalf of the minor children now (in England) full power to administer all and singular the Goods, Chattels, &c. &c. of Thomas Corbin, or in other words to settle up the estate.

Dated at Boston, Sept. 12, 1704.

Give an account of his settlement by Dec. 13, 1704, and to render a full settlement by Sept. 13, 1705."

(From Suffolk Co. Probate Records, Vol. XV, p. 333, No. 2896, Boston.)

"Suffolk SS: By the Honble Samuel Sewell, Esqr., Judge of probate—Ellis Callender Admin presented the within written and made Oath that it contains a perfect and true inventory of the estate of Thomas Corbin, late of Boston mariner deceased so far as hath come to his knowledge and that if more hereafter appears he will cause it to be added.

Boston March 4, 1716 Jurat Cor. Samuel Sewall.

Examined by Jos. Marion, Reg.

An inventory of the Estate of Thomas Corbin, Mariner, resident

at Boston in New England viz;

To wages recd of M	Ar. 1	Bouck	er	•	•	•	3 - 10
To a pair of old pl	lush	breed	ches :	sold	for	•	16
To money recovered						yn	20 - 6
To a remnant of (	•		•	•	•	•	12
To a coat Jackett	and	l Bre	eches	3.			1 - 15
To cash recd. of M		-			•	•	4
							30 - 19
In the deed chest 6	oun	ces &	nea:	r an	halfe	of	
silver at 9 s	•	•	•	•	•	•	2 - 18
A pr. old sheets	•	•	•		•	•	10
13 old napkins			•		•	•	13
l pr. old pillow bea		•		•	• •	•	4
A chest	•				•	•	6
Sundry small thin	<b>Q</b> 8	•	•	•	•	•	6
2 old shirts and 2	$\sim$	old	cloat	ths	•	•	5
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Memorandum a bond of £30 from James Corbin 10 from Jabez Corbin

10 from Joseph gardner

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A Deed for 300 acres of Land —
Boston Feby 11th 1716 Apprized by us
Josias Byles Joseph Callendar.

Suffolk C."

3. Mary Corbin (Clement), b. about 1658; m. Joseph Gardner, 1681. He was the son of Peter Gardner, who d. previous to June 10, 1699, and whose estate was administered by Samuel Aspinwall, June, 1722; his

other children, besides Joseph, were Benjamin; Sarah, m. John Gore; Rebecca, m. Moses Craft; Peter, Jr., m. Margaret ————, Jan. 17, 1712-3.

### Children:

- i. Eliphalet Gardner.
- ii. REBECCA GARDNER, m. Carpenter.

4. John Corbin (Clement), b. about 1660, was named in 1674 "with his father" in a list of the inhabitants of Muddy River. He was a soldier in Capt. Johnson's company in King Philip's War in 1675. (See under "Corbins in the Wars.") Although only about fifteen years of age, he was a member of the Roxbury militia, being in Capt. Isaac Johnson's company, the 4th; of the Massachusetts regiment organized for the war against the Narragansett Indians.

Capt. Johnson reported to the Council in Boston in 1675 that the committee had taken "veiuew of there Armes and Amunision and cloathing: — sum of them had sum damage in there musquets — which we doe intreat sum order may be taken that they may be mended by sum warrant from Authoritee: privat indeavors having been hitherto unsecsesefull: one or two spack of sum want of convenient cloathing: which we humbly leave To the consideration of Authoritee."

In the attack on the great swamp fort Dec. 19, 1675, Capt. Johnson's company was at the front. Capt. Johnson was killed at the beginning of the fight, three others were killed and eight wounded.

State House Records, Boston, Vol. LXVIII, p. 75.

N. E. Hist. and Gen. Register, Jan., 1886.

Only a meager record of John Corbin's life has come down to us. He married and had at least one child, Hannah or Joanna, who married Nathaniel Sessions March 2, 1706-7, at Woodstock, by Rev. Josiah Dwight. This Nathaniel Sessions was born in Andover, Mass., August 8, 1681, and after his marriage settled in Pomfret, Conn., and became the ancestor of numerous descendants. (For these see the "Sessions Genealogy," also the compiler's "History of Union, Conn." This Nathaniel Sessions afterwards received land in Greenwich, Mass., on account of the services of his father-in-law, John Corbin, in King Philip's War.

The Rev. Laban Ainsworth (a descendant of Mary, Mary, James, Clement) stated that John Corbin went to

England with his brother Thomas and died there.

5. James Corbin (Clement), b. March 31, 1665, at Muddy River (now Brookline, Mass.), m. Hannah Eastman, April 7 (or 27), 1697, by Rev. Josiah Dwight, at Woodstock. She was the dau. of Philip and Mary (Barnard Morse) Eastman, and was b. Nov. 5, 1679, in Haverhill, Mass.

Philip Eastman was the son of Roger, the first comer and progenitor of the Eastman family in America, who was b. in Wales in 1611, and d. in Salisbury, Mass., Dec. 16, 1694. He m. Sarah Smith (?), b. 1621, and d. March 11, 1697, in Salisbury. He sailed from Southampton, April, 1638, in the ship Confidence for the Massachusetts Bay Colony. He received lands in Salisbury 1640-3. His third son, Philip, b. Oct. 20, 1644, in Salisbury, m. for his second wife Mary (Barnard) Morse, Aug. 22, 1678. She was b. Sept. 22, 1645, being the dau. of Thomas and Alenor Barnard of Newbury-port, and was the widow of Anthony Morse. Philip Eastman was a soldier in King Philip's War. He lived in Haverhill, where his house was burned by the Indians March 15, 1697, and he and some of his family were captured and dispersed. After his escape he settled in Woodstock, Conn. He d. before 1714.

(See Eastman Genealogy, compiled by Guy S. Rix of Concord, N. H.)

James Corbin was one of the first settlers of "New Roxbury," now Woodstock, Conn. He was one of the "second goers" from Roxbury to Woodstock, and was one of the first thirty proprietors in the division of land, April 6, 1686. He then received "Home Lot No. 2," consisting of twenty acres and lying on the west side of "Plaine Hill," now Woodstock Hill. (See Miss Larned's "History of Windham County, Conn.") In 1690 he drew Lot No. 32. At that time a lot was also given to his brother Jabez, beside his own, and also one to their father, Clement Corbin. In the records James is called a "brick layer." In 1693 Woodstock first "attained the conveniency of a shop," twelve rods of land being allowed to Jabez Corbin for the purpose. James Corbin and his brother Jabez were the first traders in the colony. Their shop on "Plaine Hill" soon became the center of much traffic. They dealt largely in furs, collected turpentine from the neighboring forests, and took in the surplus produce of the planters, taking them to Boston and exchanging them for "liquor, ammunition, and other necessaries." James Corbin's "cart" was one of the institutions of Woodstock, its chief avenue of communication with the outer world, and its owner was a person of no small influence and consideration. In 1700 Indian troubles arose in Woodstock, and James Corbin's cart was on the road from Boston and in great danger of interception and capture by the enemy. But on the following Sunday news came that the cart was approaching, and sixty men with arms went out to meet it, and brought it in with great rejoicing. In 1700, also, James Corbin was desired not to dispose of any ammunition to any Indian but with the approbation of Capt. Sabin or Rev. Mr. Dwight.

About 1705 a large part of the township of Ashford was purchased by James Corbin, who supplied the new settlers with necessaries and collected such quantities of furs that "he had much ado to get them conveyed to the great street in Boston," his cart, drawn by four oxen and four horses, often breaking down on the rough road between Woodstock and Mendon.

In 1694 a square piece of land in front of James Corbin's, containing four or five acres, was sequestered for a training place and burial ground, and still forms a part of Woodstock's pleasant Common. Also a piece of land between Jabez Corbin's and the highway was set apart for a school. In 1721 a new house of worship was completed, or nearly so, and sixteen persons were allowed to build pews around the walls. Among these were James Corbin and Jabez Corbin.

James Corbin removed to Dudley, Mass., the town just north of Woodstock, and about seven miles distant from his former home, about the year 1724. Dudley (first called Kekamoochaug) was incorporated Jan. 1, 1732. James Corbin was one of the first selectmen that year. He was moderator of the town meeting in 1732, 1733, 1734, and 1735. In 1732 he was appointed, with his son Clement, to lay out highways, and in 1733 to "run the Line round our township." In 1732 he was on a committee to arrange for the settlement of the first pastor at Dudley. In 1734 he was on a committee "to privid preaching for the town for the year insuing and also to privid a place to board the minister at." Also to see about "some land we hope to obtain of the indians for our meeting-house and burying-place and training-field and also fifty acurs adjoyning for a pasnaig" (parsonage). He is said to have given to Dudley the land for the burying-ground. He died in Dudley August 11, 1736, and was buried in the old cemetery there. The inscription on his gravestone, which is now well-nigh illegible, reads: "In memory of Mr. James Corbin, who died August 11, 1736, aged 74 years." If his age is here rightly given, he was born in 1662 instead of 1665.

His wife, Hannah Corbin, died July 15, 1752, at the house of her son Samuel, aged 73. The Dudley Probate Records show that on August 14, 1752, Samuel Corbin was appointed administrator on the estate of his late mother. An inventory of "household effects and cloathing" amounted to £5 11s. 11d.

On Nov. 22, 1729, Clement Corbin and James Corbin, Jr., sold to John Chandler of Woodstock a lot in Kakamowachaug (Dudley), also the home lot granted "to their honored father, James Corbin, situated in Woodstock near the meeting-house, containing by estimation 20 acres, also a mansion house, barn and mantthouse."

For many years after James Corbin's death there was much controversy over the ownership of the large tract of land in Ashford to which he had a claim. In May, 1774, a petition was presented to the Connecticut Legislature by "Benjamin Marcy, Asahel Marcy, and Mary Marcy, widow, all of Woodstock in Windham County, and Dorcas Barnes of Plymouth, Mass., as they are the only descendants from the legal representatives of James Corbin, late of Dudley," showing that, in June, 1708, James Corbin, then of Woodstock, purchased of Major James Fitch of Canterbury 21,400 acres of land in Ashford and made many sales therefrom; encroachments were made on this tract, but the General Assembly in 1719 confirmed it to said Corbin. Notwithstanding, the inhabitants and settlers of Ashford kept encroaching on this land. So the petitioners asked liberty to take up 910 acres of the undivided land, and also to hold 1,375 acres within the patent granted to said Corbin.

(Col. Records of Conn., XIV, p. 282. See also the Records for 1717-1725, where a patent of 2,476 acres was granted to James Corbin.)

In judging of the character of James Corbin we may conclude that he was a man of tremendous energy and great ability. This is shown by his leaving Muddy River at the age of 21 to settle in the wilderness now Woodstock, by his becoming the trader for the new settlement and running his cart with great difficulty to Boston, by his acquiring a large part of the township of Ashford, and, finally, as if longing for "new worlds to conquer," when about 60 years of age, by his leaving the town of Woodstock (where perhaps life had become too easy and comfortable) to again settle in the wilderness and help form the present town of Dudley. His prominent position there and the esteem in which he was held are shown by the offices to which his fellow-townsmen elected him. Such were the men that subdued the American wilderness and laid the foundations for our nation.

### Children (all born in Woodstock):

8. i. CLEMENT, b. Feb. 17, 1698.

9. ii. MARY, b. Feb. 5, 1700.

10. iii. JAMES, b. Feb. 24, 1702.

iv. Dorcas, b. March 3, 1704; m. John Barnes of Plymouth, Mass.

v. HANNAH, b. March 24, 1706; d. young.

11. vi. Philip, b. Jan. 5, 1708.

vii. STEPHEN, b. Aug. 5, 1710 (Wd. Town Rec.), or Nov. 19, 1710 (Family Record); d. unm.

12. viii. ELISHA, b. June 30, 1713.

13. ix. SAMUEL, b. July 10, 1715.

x. HANNAH, b. Sept. 6, 1717; d. Dec. 15, 1718.

xi. HANNAH or JOANNA, b. Aug. 26, 1721; m. Benjamin Coburn of Dudley, Sept. 26, 1746.

All these dates are from the Woodstock town records, except that of the birth of Samuel, which was doubtless omitted by negligence. That he was the son of James and Hannah is proved by the Dudley Probate Records, which speak of her death at his house and his being appointed her administrator.

The Woodstock records also give the death of an Elisha Corbin, Sept. 23, 1716. But Elisha Corbin lived, was active for many years, and left numerous descendants. Most likely the name is a mistake for Hannah, the fifth child, who died young. Some persons give a Hannah, b. Dec. 15, 1718, but that is a mistake from misreading the town records "born," instead of "died."

6. Lieut. Jabez Corbin (Clement), bapt. Feb. 23, 1668; m. Mary Morse in 1692. She was b. Aug. 31, 1672, and was the dau. of Lieut. Anthony and Mary (Barnard) Morse of Newbury, Mass.

Lieut. Anthony Morse, b. 1638, was the son of Anthony and Mary Morse, and was twice married. He had a large family, and d. Feb.

Lieut. Jabez Corbin settled in Woodstock about 1688, where his home lot was No. 48. He was an active citizen of Woodstock and a partner of his brother James in store-keeping. His occupation is given in deeds as that of "a merchant and weaver." He sold land in Quinnatisset, now Thompson, in 1711, which was said to have been "much infested with bears, wolves and Indians," and where a log fort was necessary for the protection of the settlers.

In 1693 he was allowed twelve square rods of land for a shop. In 1726 he sold a large tract of land in Thompson to John Dwight. In 1721 he was granted liberty to build a pew, and in 1722 had the fifth choice of pews in the new meeting-house.

Jabez Corbin was constable of the town of Woodstock in 1725. His wife, Mary, d. Jan. 8 (or 13, T. R.), 1727-8. It seems that he married again, for the Woodstock Town Records give "Jabez Corbin and Mary Edmunds of Woodstock were married July 5, 1728." He made his will April 24, 1736, making his son Robert his executor. This will was probated Nov. 16, 1736. He d. Oct. 23, 1736, and was buried in the old cemetery at Woodstock hill, where a rude gravestone still stands, on which the name only is now legible.

### Children:

- 14. i. Thomas, b. June 26, 1693.
  - ii. Dorcas, b. Dec. 11, 1694; not mentioned in her father's will, hence was probably not living in 1736; d. probably in 1698.
- 15. iii. JABEZ, b. Jan. 4, 1696-7.
- 16. iv. John, b. Dec. 11, 1698.
  - v. Joseph, b. Dec. 14, 1700; d. Dec. 20, 1700.

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- vi. Joseph, b. March 17, 1702.
- 17. vii. BENJAMIN, b. May 23, 1704.
- 18. viii. EBENEZER, b. April 15, 1706.
  - ix. ELIPHALET, b. April 26, 1708.
- 19. x. ROBERT, b. May 24, 1710.
- 7. Margaret Corbin (Clement), b. March 16, 1673; m. Matthew Davis Feb. 23 (or 27), 1690-1, at Woodstock. He was the son of William and Alice (Thorpe) Davis, and was b. in Roxbury, Mass., and baptized there June 24, 1664. He was one of the thirteen men sent out from Roxbury through the wilderness "to spy out the land" for the settlement which is now Woodstock, Conn. He was one of the first settlers and afterwards surveyor, constable, and selectman. In the later period of his life he removed to Pomfret, Conn., and d. there Feb. 4, 1729.

### Children:

- i. Samuel Davis, b. Aug. 18, 1693; d. Aug. 22, 1693.
- ii. Joanna Davis, b. Oct. 22, 1696, at Roxbury; m. Edward Ainsworth, April 5, 1722; d. April 25, 1753; 7 ch.
- iii. MARGARET DAVIS, b. Feb. 7, 1699; m. Henry Bowen of Woodstock, May 10, 1721 (see "The Bowens of Woodstock," by Edward A. Bowen).
- iv. MATTHEW DAVIS, Jr., b. Oct. 14, 1706; m. Ann Dana, dau. of Benjamin and Mary Dana, Nov. 17, 1726.
- v. ELIZABETH DAVIS, b. Nov. 13, 1708; d. Dec. 8, 1708.
- vi. ELIZABETH DAVIS, 2d, b. March 26, 1710.
- vii. KATHERINE DAVIS, b. Oct. 14, 1712.
- viii. ABIGAIL DAVIS, b. Oct. 9, 1715.

### THIRD GENERATION.

8. Major Clement Corbin (James, Clement), b. Feb. 17, 1698, at Woodstock; m. Hannah Morris Nov. 7, 1726; she was b. Nov. 9, 1700, and was the dau. of Samuel and Mehitable (Mayo) Morris, and granddau. of Lt. Edward and Grace (Butts) Morris, who came from Essex, England. Mehitable Mayo was the dau. of John and Hannah (Graves) Mayo; John Mayo was brought from England in 1633 by his stepfather, John Gamblin, and m. Hannah, dau. of John Graves of Roxbury, May 24, 1654. (See Morris Register, p. 22.) Clement Corbin bought land of Philip Amidown in Keekamoochaug (Dudley) in 1731 and 1746. He resided at Dudley on the farm now owned by Erastus Alton, one and one-half miles from the Webster station on the main road to Dudley. He d. in Dudley.

Clement Corbin held the following town offices in Dudley: Fence-viewer, 1732; committee to lay out highways, 1732; committee for ordination of Rev. Isaac Richardson, 1733; to build meeting-house, 1733-4; to ordain Rev. Perley Howe, 1735; hayward and field driver, 1733; selectman, 1734, 1735, 1739, 1741, 1742, 1750; town treasurer, 1741, 1742, 1744, 1745; committee to erect schoolhouse, 1742.

#### Children:

- i. Hannah, b. June 17, 1727; one of the first white children born in Dudley; m. Samuel Fairbanks, Jr., Jan. 8, 1746.
- ii. MEHITABLE, b. July 3, 1728.
- iii. Dorcas, b. June 8, 1731; m. Benjamin Fairbanks, March 1, 1749.
- 20. iv. CLEMENT, b. May 1, 1733.
- 21. v. MARGARET, b. Jan. 2 (or 3), 1735.
- 22. vi. EZBA, b. Aug. 17, 1736.
- 23. vii. ELIJAH, b. Dec. 1, 1738.
  - viii. Lucy, b. March 9, 1740; d. Dec. 1, 1740.

9. Mary Corbin (James, Clement), b. Feb. 5, 1700; m. Benjamin Marcy Feb. 10, 1724-5. He was b. March 11, 1699-1700, the son of John and Mary (Hadlock) Marcy of Woodstock. He took charge of the estate of James Corbin in Ashford after the latter's death in 1736.

### Children:

iv.

i. Hannah Marcy, b. Oct. 3, 1725; m. 1st, Isaac Skinner; 2d, Samuel Warner.

ii. Lois Marcy, b. Oct. 3, 1727; m. Jabez Kendrick of

Springfield.

iii. BENJAMIN MARCY, b. Sept. 23, 1729; m. at the age of 52, Lovisa Gilbert of age of 21; d. Feb. 21, 1803.

ELIZABETH MARCY, b. Feb. 25, 1731-2; m. Thomas

Tiffany of Ashford.

v. Mary Marcy, b. Feb. 20, 1733-4; m. Capt. William Ainsworth; d. Nov. 23, 1815. One son was Rev. Laban Ainsworth, who was an early genealogist, and handed down some notes on the early Corbins to his grandson, Mr. Francis J. Parker, 447 Marlborough St., Boston.

vi. EUNICE MARCY, b. April 30, 1736; m. Ebenezer Dodge. vii. Asahel Marcy, b. March 26, 1738; m. Priscilla Dunham; d. 1818; one son, Laban Marcy, a lawyer at Greenwich, Mass., m. Fanny Howe, and was father of Inspector-General Randolph B. Marcy, whose dau. m. Gen. George B. McClellan, and whose son is mayor of New York (1905).

viii. Dolly Marcy, b. May 20, 1742; m. Samuel Munger of

Brimfield, Mass.

10. James Corbin, Jr. (James, Clement), b. Feb. 4 or 24, 1702; m. Susanna Bacon, probably dau. of Thomas and Rebecca Bacon, June 19, 1728. He lived at Dudley, Mass., where he went in 1732 from Woodstock. He was a soldier in the French and Indian War. He came home, claiming that his term of service was up, stoutly resisted arrest, was tied to his horse and taken to Springfield, Mass., where he died from rough handling in 1758. His widow and son James were appointed administrators on his estate, appraised at £497 14s. 6d. She d. Dec. 1, 1794, at Dudley, æ. 94. Both were buried at Dudley.

# Children:

i. ABIGAIL, b. April 5, 1729; d. unm.

ii. Susannah, b. May 2, 1731 (or Sept. 12, 1731); m. Thomas Gould of Woodstock, May 12, 1757.

iii. MARY or MARIA, b. March 31 (or April 18), 1734; m. Dr. Elkanah Daye, June 29, 1753; she d. before 1761, and he m. Jane Bacon. 24. iv. James, b. Jan. 18, 1736.

v. SARAH, b. May 13, 1739; m. Nathaniel Mills of Kil-

lingly, April 29, 1762.

vi. EPHRAIM, b. Oct. 12, 1740; was a soldier in the Revolution; d. unm. in Sturbridge, Mass., æ. 80; held several offices in Dudley.

25. vii. Moses, b. Oct. 11, 1742.

26. viii. Asa, b. May 15, 1746.

27. ix. Timothy, b. July 24, 1750.

28. x. Elkanah, b. Oct. 23, 1752.

xi. TAMAR, b. Nov. 5, 1754; d. unm.

11. Philip Corbin (James, Clement), b. Jan. 5, 1708; m. Dorothy Barstow of Thompson, Jan. 13, 1731. (This name is variously spelled Barto, Bestaw, Baister. There seemed to be a good deal of perplexity about it. The Woodstock Town Records give, "Philip Corbin of Kekamoochaug [Dudley] and Dorothy Bestaw of Thompson were married Jan. 13, 1730-1, by me, Amos Throop.")

Philip Corbin bought land Feb. 13, 1730, at "Keekamoochaug," of William Dudley, adjoining the land of Clement Corbin. March 31, 1776, Joseph Peffer of Dudley ceded to Clement, James, and Philip Corbin one acre of ground for a burying-ground. Philip Corbin was one of the prominent early citizens of Dudley and held the following offices, as given in the Dudley Town Records: Fence viewer, 1734, 1741, 1766; highway surveyor, 1739, 1750, 1754, 1771; tything man, 1740, 1741, 1765; constable, east side, 1745; committee on schools, 1757-1760, 1766; committee to seat meeting-house, 1756; committee to repair meeting-house, 1768. He made his will in 1774, and the same year conveyed to his son Jedediah a part of his home farm, "said barn and said barnyard to be in common with said Philip and said Jedediah."

#### Children:

i. ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 8, 1731-2; m. Daniel Ainsworth, son of Edward, Jan. 7, 1766; he was b. Oct. 21, 1724, at Woodstock, and d. at Cherry Valley, N. Y., in 1810; 4 ch.

ii. Philip, b. Feb. 4, 1734-5; m. Mary How, widow of Josiah How of Marlboro, at Charlton, June 9,

1768.

iii. Dorothy, b. April 12, 1738; m. Joseph Perrin of Woodstock, July 13, 1768, at Dudley.

29. iv. LEMUEL, b. Feb. 19, 1739-40.

30. v. John, b. Sept. 17, 1741.

vi. Lois, b. March 20, 1744; m. Samuel Wright of Brookfield, Mass., May 25, 1774.

- 31. vii. WILLIAM, b. March 28, 1746. 32. viii. JEDEDIAH, b. Sept. 13, 1751. ix. ABEL, b. Aug. 18, 1755.
- ELISHA CORBIN (James, Clement), b. June 30, 1713; m. Sally Healy, dau. of Joshua Healy of Dudley, Oct. 6, 1739. He lived at Dudley, where he held the following offices: Hog-reeve, 1747; constable for east side, 1749-1750; highway surveyor, 1753, 1764; fence-viewer, 1756, 1758, 1765; committee to seat meeting-house, "and the method to go by is age and estates," 1756; school committee, 1763, 1787; warden, 1765. In 1760 the town ... voted to allow him £9 10s. "for building a good stone pound, sd pound to be 3 foot and a half thick at bottom of said wall and about 18 or 20 intches thick at top and six foot and a half high, with a teer of good flatt stons on the wall above — to be two rod squar with a good gate well hanged, the town finding the irons." June 30, 1774, he was chosen as a member of the town "Committee of Correspondence," to correspond with such committees in other towns to prepare to resist British encroachments. 19, 1774, the town voted to add to its stock 100 lbs. of powder, 400 lbs. of lead, and 10 dozen flints. Elisha Corbin was on a committee for choosing militia officers. In 1780 he was on a committee to hire fourteen men for the Continental Army.

He d. Aug. 4, 1797, ac. 84.

#### Children:

i. Sarah, b. Sept. 17, 1740; m. Samuel Kidder March 30, 1758; removed to Wardsboro, Vt.; she m. 2d, Jonathan Bacon. Ch.: Samuel, Sally, Nathaniel, Esbe, Richard, and Hannah Kidder.

ii. Rebecca, b. May 18, 1742; m. Jonathan Lyon of Woodstock, Dec. 22, 1763. Ch.: Aaron, Jonathan, Jr., Lucy, Rebecca, Sally, Jemima, Corbin, Minerva, Moses, Nancy, and Hannah Lyon.

33. iii. Lucy, b. Jan. 27, 1743-4.

34. iv. ELISHA, Jr., b. Nov. 23, 1745.

v. Jemima, b. March 8, 1748-9; m. Moses Jewell, July 23, 1772. Ch.: Walter, Bathsheba, Mary, and Betsey Jewell.

vi. Dorcas, b. May 3, 1750; m. Edward Morris, March 23, 1771. Ch.: William, Elisha, Edward, Jr., Lyman, Alfred, and Moses Morris.

35. vii. NATHANIEL, b. Sept. 29, 1753.

- viii. ZERVIAH, b. June 17, 1755; m. Jessie Jewell, June 1, 1775. Ch.: Lucretia, Stephen, Philo, Charles P., Abel. Sally, Moses, Charles L., Pardon T., and Zerviah Jewell.
- 36. ix. Joshua, b. July 16, 1757.
- 37. x. STEPHEN, b. Aug. 5, 1760.
- 13. Samuel Corbin (James, Clement), b. July 10, 1715, at Woodstock; m. Jane Davis Jan. 6, 1735-6 (by Nathaniel Walter of Boston); she was b. at Roxbury in 1716 (or Jan. 19, 1719), and d. at Dudley Oct. 29, 1801. He was a prominent citizen of Dudley, and held the following offices: Surveyor and constable, 1737; gamewarden, 1742; highway surveyor, 1746; tything man, 1751; fence viewer, 1753; selectman, 1754, 1758, 1759, 1761, 1762; assessor, 1760; on school committee, 1760. He d. at Dudley Aug. 17, 1782. Both he and his wife are buried in the old cemetery there.

# Children:

- i. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 31, 1741; d. Oct. 5, 1749.
- 38. ii. Peleg, b. Sept. 7, 1749.
- 39. iii. SAMUEL, 2d, b. Aug. 27, 1751.
- 40. iv. HANNAH, b. Sept. 25, 1756.
- 14. Thomas Corbin (Jabez, Clement), b. June 26 1693; m. Sarah Eastman; settled first in Ashford, Conn. and later in Kingston, N. H., where he resided Oct. 2 1729, at which time his wife Sarah sold land left to her by her father, Justice Samuel Eastman, lying in the town of Salisbury, Essex County, Mass. There is no further record of his descendants.
- 15. Jabez Corbin, Jr. (Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 4, 1697; m. Hannah Peake, dau. of Jonathan and Hannah (Leavins) Peake, Oct. 15, 1720. He lived at Woodstock, where all the children were born. She d. Oct. 18, 1740.

- 41. i. ABIJAH, b. Feb. 8, 1722.
  - ii. Jonathan, b. Oct. 26, 1723.
- 42. iii. JABEZ, 3d, b. March 21, 1725.
  - iv. Hannah, b. Sept. 13, 1726.
  - v. MARY, b. March 7, 1728; m. Jonathan Gould, April 25, 1750.

- vi. EZEKIEL, b. June 12, 1730; m. Dorcas Jewell, Dec. 17, 1758; served in the Revolution.
- **43.** vii. ALICE, b. July 20, 1732. viii. DANIEL, b. May 25, 1734.
- LIEUT. JOHN CORBIN (Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 11, 1698, at Woodstock; m. Martha Hosmer, dau. of James and Elizabeth Hosmer, April 3, 1728.

James Hosmer, the father of Martha, was b. Oct. 23, 1660, at Concord, Mass., and m. Elizabeth Sawyer, Feb. 16, 1687; she was b. Feb. 6, 1663, at Lancaster, Mass., and d. Jan. 15, 1745, at Woodstock. He probably lived in Lancaster for a time, afterwards settled in Worcester, and removed to Woodstock before 1710, where he became prominent. His father, James Hosmer, was b. in Concord, Mass., in 1637; m. Sarah White, Oct. 13, 1758; and was killed in the battle of Sudbury, April 21, 1676 (see N. E. Gen. Reg., Vol. 20, pp. 347, 348). Sarah White was the dau. of Capt. John White and sister of the famous Mrs. Rowlandson, who was taken prisoner in King Philip's War, and afterwards published a book on her hardships. Capt. John White of Salem, in 1638, went to Lancaster, and was one of the founders of that place, a leading man and the largest landholder. He was b. in England, and d. in 1655. His children were all prominent.

James Hosmer the first, father of the above, was b. in 1607, and m. Anna ----, who was b. in 1608. He came from London in the ship Elizabeth, in 1635. Their English home was in Hawkhurst, in Kent County. They brought with them two servants and two daughters: Mary, aged 2 years, and Ann, 3 months. He was one of the founders of Concord, and had b. there: James, 1637; John, 1639; and others. He was a freeman, May 17, 1637, and d. Feb. 7, 1685. He was a man of influence. Anna, his wife, d. May 11, 1641.

John Corbin lived in Thompson, Conn., which was then a part of Killingly, and about six miles east of his father's house in Woodstock. There he built the second house, which was located on the southern side of Thompson Hill, on the site of the present Chandler residence. In May, 1753, he was commissioned by the General Assembly ensign, and, in October of the same year, lieutenant of the South Company or Train Band in the town of Killingly. (Col. Records of Conn.) In 1760 he was a highway surveyor for Killingly. He d. and, with his wife, was buried at Thompson.

- 44. i. John, b. July 11, 1729.
  - DORCAS, b. Dec. 4, 1730; m. Dwight. SIBYL, b. Aug. 8, 1732; m. Marcy. ii.
  - iii.
  - Lois, b. March 3 (or April 12), 1734; d. April 26, iv. 1735.

Asa. b. April 6, 1735; d. young. V.

DARIUS, b. May 15, 1737.

Asa, b. April 4, 1740; d. Sept. 4, 1740. vii.

**45**. viii. } twins, b. March 6, 1742.

46. ix. AMASA, WILLIAM, b. April 6, 1744. 47. X.

JOSEPH, b. April (or Aug.) 17, 1747; d. young. xi.

48. xii. JOSEPH, b. May 30, 1751.

Benjamin Corbin (Jabez, Clement), b. May 23, 1704; m. Jemima Cutler April 19, 1731 (by Rev. Amos Throop). On July 16, 1725, Lieut. Jabez Corbin deeded to his son Benjamin "a parcell of land scituate in the south half of Woodstock, known by the name of the west division of land." About this time he settled in West Woodstock and became one of the founders of the Congregational church there. After many disputes and quarrels a site was fixed upon for the church building in 1747, and in 1749 Benjamin Corbin received permission to build a pew there. (See Miss Larned's History of Windham County.) He probably d. at Sturbridge, April 7, 1780.

# Children:

JEMIMA, b. Aug. 24, 1732 (or 1734); m. Joshua Hardi. ing, April 8, 1762, at Sturbridge.

**49**. ii. Amos, b. Sept. 9, 1735.

**50.** iii. ASAHEL, b. March 5, 1739-40. iv.

Lois (a son?), b. Aug. 15, 1743.

- HANNAH, b. Sept. 3, 1745; probably m. David Morse. v. who was b. in 1741 and d. in 1828.
- SARAH (or Alice?), bapt. March 17, 1751; probably vi. m. Asa Godell, Jan. 24, 1771 (Wd. Town Rec.).

EBENEZER CORBIN (Jabez, Clement), b. April 15, 1706; m. 1st, Martha Dresser, dau. of Richard and Mary (Peabody) Dresser of Thompson, April 15, 1731; she d. March 12 (or 22), 1752, ac. 40. He m. 2d, Judith Harding of Wrentham, Mass., Jan. 10, 1757. He lived in West Woodstock and was one of the founders and one of the first two deacons of the Congregational church there. In 1749 he was admitted as a freeman with others when Woodstock became a part of Connecticut. In 1747 he was appointed to make coffins in West Woodstock. was a grand juror in 1760, a representative in the General Assembly from Woodstock in the sessions of 1755 and 1756. In 1771 he was appointed to present a church controversy to Gov. Trumbull for advice. He d. May 25, 1775. His widow, Judith Corbin of Wrentham, executed a will Nov. 14, 1780. She made a will in 1792.

# Children:

i. Martha, b. Jan. 27, 1731-2; m. Obadiah Peak, Jan. 27, 1756.

ii. Anna, b. Sept. 24, 1733; m. — Bugbee.

iii. KEZIAH, b. Jan. 8, 1737-8; m. Edward Ainsworth, May 22, 1755; he was b. Nov. 21, 1729, at Woodstock, and d. Feb. 10, 1806, at Claremont, N. H. She d. Dec. 1, 1756. No ch.

51. iv. SILAS, b. Feb. 17, 1739-40.

v. MARY, b. Dec. 8, 1741.

vi. ABIGAIL, b. March 20, 1743; d. young.

vii. SEBRA (Sabra or Seabury), b. March 3, 1745. viii. EBENEZER, b. Nov. 6, 1749; d. Sept. 20, 1754.

ix. ABIGAIL, b. March 7, 1752; probably m. Amos Broughton, Dec. 3, 1772.

19. Robert Corbin (Jabez, Clement), b. May 24, 1710; m. Sarah Bliss, dau. of Samuel Bliss of Rehoboth, Mass., Nov. 29, 1739, at Woodstock. Robert Corbin was the executor of his father's will, made July 16, 1725, and admitted to probate in 1736. His first three children were baptized in Woodstock, so he must have lived there until 1748. He resided at Dighton, Mass., April 1, 1755, at which time he bought land of Benjamin Martin in Rehoboth on the Palmer River, where he went to live.

He was a member of Capt. Philip Walker's company in the French and Indian War in 1758, and was stationed at Half Moon. He was taken sick and died, probably, at Troy, N. Y. Sarah Corbin, his widow, was made administrator of his estate Oct. 4, 1758. The inventory of his property was taken Dec. 5, 1758, by Capt. Nathaniel Bliss, Capt. Wm. Bullock, and Daniel Bliss, and amounted to £257 2s. 4d. His three younger children were under fourteen in 1759, and their mother was made their guardian. Seth Knapp was guardian for Samuel, who was over fourteen in 1759. May 2, 1774, Samuel Bullock was guardian for Eliphalet, over fourteen. On Jan. 23, 1765, Samuel Bliss willed land to his grandchildren Robert, Samuel, and Eliphalet Corbin. Sarah, the wife of Robert Corbin, d. March, 1807, at Bainbridge, N. Y., ae. 84.

- i. SARAH, b. about 1741; bapt. June 28, 1741; m. Lucas Wilson, March 29, 1759, at Rehoboth. Their dau. Chloe, b. 1772, m. Lucas Cushing.

  Samuel, b. June 12, 1745.

  Robert, bapt. April 17, 1748.

  Mary, b. about 1751; m. Wm. Jones.

  Eliphalet, b. about 1756.
- 52. ii. 53. iii.
  - iv.
- 54. v.

# FOURTH GENERATION.

20. Capt. Clement Corbin (Clement, James, Clement), b. May 1, 1733; m., 1st, Rachel Bacon, Nov. 18, 1753, at Dudley. He m., 2d, Mary Fillebrown ("Philly Brown"), July 12, 1770, at Thompson, Conn. (by Rev. Noadiah Russell). He bought land in Killingly (Thompson) of his father in 1757. He lived in the Thompson parish of Killingly in 1762, when he signed a petition with others for a school in the neighborhood. The petition was granted and District No. 11, known as "Capt. Corbin's District," was established. This district was situated northwest of a "great hill" between the Quinnebaug and the French rivers and adjoined the Massachusetts line. (Miss Larned's History of Windham County.)

He was probably a soldier in the Revolution, although, as his son Clement was also a soldier, it is difficult to determine from the records which one is referred to. family tradition says that he was in the Revolution. was probably sergeant in a company which went to Rhode Island in Sullivan's campaign in 1778. He became known as "Captain" afterwards, but how he obtained the title is unknown. When Thompson became a separate town from Killingly in 1785, Clement Corbin was one of those who took the freeman's oath. The births of the first nine children below (Rachel to Payson) are from the Killingly records, while those of the last five are recorded at Thompson. Tradition says that there were twenty-four children in this family, twelve by each wife. But, as seen below, only seventeen are recorded. But the names of Charles, John, David, Peggy, Daniel, Horace, and Eliakim have been handed down by tradition as also belonging to this family.

Soon after 1795 Clement Corbin removed with his family by his second wife to Bradford County, Pa. While living there he was kicked by a cow and his leg was so badly broken that it had to be amputated. He d. at War-

ren, Pa., in 1825, æ. 92. His funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Salmon King, and he was buried in the Presbyterian cemetery there. His widow d. March, 1837, æ. 86. She was very much attached to church, and in her later years, being afraid to ride, used to walk a mile and a half, with a cane in one hand and leaning on one of her grand-children with the other.

About 1820 three grandchildren (by the first wife), Charles, Horace, and Ebenezer, came to Pennsylvania.

# Children of first wife:

- i. RACHEL, b. Sept. 20, 1756.
- ii. MARY, twins, b. May 13, 1759.
- 56. v. EBENEZER, b. Jan. 5, 1766.
  - vi. MEHITABLE, b. Dec. 10, 1767.

#### Children of second wife:

- vii. ISABEL, b. Sept. 20, 1771.
- 57. viii. Thomas, b. Aug. 12, 1772.
- 58. ix. HENRY PAYSON, b. Oct. 6, 1774.
- 59. x. PENUEL, b. 1779.
  - xi. Altherda, b. June 17, 1782; d. of consumption.
- 60. xii. OLIVER, b. Sept. 17, 1783.
  - xiii. Annie, b. Feb. 23, 1787; m. John Hill; had two girls; d. of consumption.
  - xiv. Moses, ) twins, b. Jan. 17, 1790;
- 61. xv. AARON, Moses died from scald.
  - xvi. WILLIAM, b. Sept. 12, 1792; killed when 17 years old. xvii. Sophia, b. July 15, 1795; m. Jacob A. Burbank of Vt.;
    - d. of consumption. Ch.: Merandis, Joslin, Henry, and Joseph Burbank.
- 21. MARGARET CORBIN (Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 2, 1735; m. Capt. Benjamin Morris, her cousin, July 16, 1755. He was b. June 3, 1729, and d. Sept. 1, 1791. She d. Feb. 11, 1825, at Dudley.

Capt. Benj. Morris was the son of Benjamin, and was born at the Myanexit farm forty-nine days after his father's death. His uncle, Samuel Morris, was appointed guardian.

# Children:

i. Thomas Morris, b. Jan. 28, 1760; m. Margaret Warren of Dudley, June 3, 1784; moved in 1796 to Hamilton (now Eaton, N. Y.) and started a settlement, called Morrisville, from him. His family of 6 children grew up and settled mostly in the

neighborhood of their father, and were good citi-

zens and neighbors.

ii. Benjamin Morris, b. Feb. 26, 1762; m. 1st, Sylvia Carter of Dudley. Oct. 15, 1786; she d. Nov. 20, 1791; he m. 2d, Lucy Butler, Jan., 1797. He removed to Hamilton, N. Y., in 1794, and to New Hartford, Oneida Co., where he died, crushed by a falling tree, Jan., 1804. He had 3 ch. of the first wife and 4 of the second. His 3d child, Sylvia Morris (b. March 5, 1791), m. Nathan Davis, Jan. 10, 1812. They had 8 ch.: Jane, Benjamin, James, William, Harriet E., William C., Charles, and Alfred Davis; Harriet m. John Henderson, May 19, 1858, and had Sylvia, John, and Mary Henderson.

iii. JOHN HOLLOWAY MORRIS, b. Feb. 13, 1764, in Thompson; d. there Nov. 21, 1839; m. Silence Perrin of Pomfret, May 23, 1788. In 1794 he removed to Hamilton, N. Y., but later returned to Pomfret; was a teamster and butcher; 10 ch. lived in Pom-

fret and vicinity.

iv. HANNAH MORRIS, b. March 3, 1766; m. Thomas Larned, May 12, 1785; lived in Dudley; 5 ch.

v. Rebecca Morris, b. Oct. 23, 1767; m. Silas Hayden,

Feb. 10, 1785.

vi. ZEBULON MORRIS, b. Jan. 28, 1770; d. at Dudley, July 9, 1806, leaving an estate of £4,941; m. Mary Brown of Dudley; 5 ch.

vii. HEZEKIAH MORRIS, b. Aug. 24, 1771; unm.

viii. MERCY MORRIS, b. June 23, 1776.

22. Ezra Corbin (Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 17, 1736; m. Hannah Barnes of Plymouth in 1765. (See "Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth.") They lived first in Thompson (Killingly township) where the births of the first three children are recorded, and then came to Woodstock about 1774, where the rest of the children were born. He d. Sept. 2, 1794, and was buried in the old cemetery at Dudley. His widow, Hannah, was appointed his administrator.

#### Children:

- i. Dorcas, b. Aug. 22, 1765.
- ii. HANNAH, b. March 31, 1767.
- iii. Polly, b. March 20, 1771.
- iv. ALVIN, b. Nov. 20, 1775.
- v. EASTMAN, b. Nov. 16, 1779.
- vi. EZRA, b. May 17, 1782.

Perhaps also John and Nancy, twins, b. about 1790. (Woodstock town record obliterated.)

23. ELIJAH CORBIN (Clement, James, Clement), b. Dec. 1, 1738; m. Elizabeth Prince Dec. 29, 1765, at

Thompson, by Rev. Noadiah Russell; she was the dau. of Robert and Phebe (Symonds) Prince and was b. in Salem, Mass., about 1742. Her parents removed to Thompson in 1747. (See the Prince Genealogy.) They lived in Thompson, then a part of Killingly, where the births of the children are recorded. He d. before 1780, and his widow m. Moses Corbin (James, James, Clement).

#### Children:

62. i. ELIJAH, b. June 28, 1767.

63. ii. PARLEY, b. May 22, 1769.

64. iii. DANIEL, b. Sept. 22, 1771.

iv. BETTY, b. May 31, 1774.

24. James Corbin (James, James, Clement), b. Jan. 18, 1736, at Dudley; m. Ann Tucker of Charlton, April 18, 1761; she was b. at Charlton, Mass., April 11, 1740, and d. at Newport, N. H., April 11, 1813. He was probably a soldier in the Revolution; his son James certainly was. There is a family tradition that he lost his leg in the Revolutionary War, but it might have been in the earlier war. He d. May 12, 1792, at Dudley, and was buried in the old cemetery there, where the inscription on his gravestone reads:

"Sacred to the memory of James Corbin, who died May 12, 1792, in his 58th year.

"Erected by Dr. James Corbin, 21 years after his father's death."

# Children:

65. i. James, b. Jan. 2, 1762.

ii. Polly, b. Feb. 17, 1764; m. Jacob Allen, Jr., of Stur-

bridge, Aug. 14, 1783.

iii. EDWARD, b. Feb. 25, 1766; m. Eunice Kibbe (sister of Lois Kibbe, who m. James above), of Somers, Conn. He settled in Florence, Huron Co., Ohio; his descendants, if any, are untraced.

iv. Anne (or Anna), b. Nov. 23, 1768; m. Sabin Allen

of Monson at Sturbridge, July 26, 1792.

66. v. Susanna, b. June 22, 1772.

vi. Asa, b. Jan. 15, 1780; m. Lucy Jencks, Jan. 22, 1805; at Newport, N. H.; she d. there Jan. 4, 1806, as the following inscription on a tombstone there shows:

"In memory of Mrs. Lucy Corbin, and a full-born child in her arms, wife of Mr. Asa Corbin and daughter of Jeremiah Jenckes, who died Jan. 4, 1806, aged 23 years."

vii. Rhoda, b. ——; m. John Ryan, Dec. 16, 1796, at Sturbridge; they settled in Ohio.

viii. PATTY; no record.

The Dudley town records also give Hannah (twin of James), b. Jan. 2, 1762, and Thomas, b. April 11, 1771; both probably d. in infancy.

25. Moses Corbin (James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 11, 1742, at Dudley; chose Eben Davidson for his guardian, April 29, 1760; m., 1st, Sarah Bacon, Nov. 8, 1769; m., 2d, widow Elizabeth Corbin (widow of Elijah) April 3, 1780, at Thompson (Town Rec.). He was a soldier in the Revolution, serving in the Lexington Alarm.

He sold his farm in Thompson to Mark Douge (or

Donge) April 4, 1794.

He d. at Whitehall, N. Y., in 1824, æ. 82.

Children of 1st wife (b., probably, in Dudley):

67. i. Moses, b. Jan. 17, 1772.

ii. CENA or SENA.

iii. SALLY.

Children of 2d wife (recorded at Thompson):

68. iv. Alpheus, b. Dec. 3, 1781.

v. Chloe, b. June 16, 1783.

vi. Polly, b. Dec. 14, 1786.

26. As Corbin (James, James, Clement), b. May 15, 1746, at Dudley; Samuel Corbin was appointed his guardian, April 29, 1760. He m. Patience Smith Nov. 16, 1769, at Dudley. He was a soldier in the Revolution, his record being given by the Pension Bureau at Washington as follows: "Asa Corbin, aged 91 (?), residing at Nassau, N. Y., applied for a pension Aug. 9, 1832. He stated that he was born at Dudley, Mass., in May, 1741 (?), and there enlisted in the fall of 1775 under Capt. Nathaniel Healey, in Col. Ebenezer Learned's Mass. Regiment, and served two months as a private. In June, 1776, he again enlisted under Capt. Nichols, Col. Jonathan Holman's regiment, and served five months, participating in the battle of White Plains. Afterwards [date not stated] he served four and a half months under Capt. Healey and Col. Learned. His claim was allowed at \$33.33 per annum, commencing March 4, 1831." Timothy and Joshua Corbin made affidavits that they served with him in 1776 and were in the battle of White Plains.

Asa Corbin gave a deed Feb. 17, 1794, in Worcester County, Mass. Family tradition says that he went to White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., where he engaged in business as a tanner. But, as shown above, he resided at Nassau, Rensselaer County, N. Y., in 1832. No descendants are known.

27. TIMOTHY CORBIN (James, James, Clement), b. July 24, 1750; m. Abigail Vinton Oct. 20, 1774; she was the dau. of Joshua and Mary Vinton, and was b. Aug. 18, 1775, at Dudley, and d. there May 20, 1828. Timothy Corbin was a farmer and glazier at Dudley. He was a soldier in the Revolution (although owing to the incompleteness of the public records his name was not recorded). But his service is proved in several ways. As a Corbin of Nassau, Rensselaer County, N. Y., made affidavit Feb. 9, 1831, before Justice James Hoag, that he, Timothy, and Joshua Corbin served together in Capt. Nichols' Company, Col. Holman's Regiment, Gen. Fellows' Brigade, the full term of five months, and that they fought in the battle of White Plains. This Asa Corbin was doubtless his brother. Timothy's grandson, Dr. J. V. Mansfield, who had personal recollection of him, stated that he was a soldier in the army and was at White Plains, N. Y., and also at New York at the time of the evacuation of the British. His granddaughter, Abigail Dodge Clemens, well remembers his telling her that he served in the Revolution. the Pension Bureau at Washington is an affidavit of Timothy Corbin and Joshua Corbin, made at Dudley, Mass., Oct. 5, 1830, that they served with Asa Corbin as above.

He held several public offices in Dudley, being constable and collector most of the time from 1784 to 1791.

He d. Oct. 26, 1831, at Dudley.

- 69. i. Rufus, b. March 12, 1779.
- 70. ii. Timothy, Jr., b. Nov. 1, 1780. iii. Lucretia, b. Aug. 20, 1782; d.
- iii. LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 20, 1782; d. young. 71. iv. ABIGAIL, b. Aug. 8, 1787.
- 72. v. SAMUEL, b. Nov. 12, 1789.
- 73. vi. Lucretia, b. Feb. 4, 1792.
- 74. vii. James, b. Oct. 2, 1793.
- 75. viii. Susan, b. Aug. 12, 1797.

28. Elkanah Corbin (James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 23, 1752, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Hannah Harlow, granddau. of James Littlejohn and gr. granddau. of John Littlejohn, a passenger on the "Mayflower"; she was b. at Plymouth, Mass., March 25, 1750. They resided at first in Thompson parish, Killingly, Conn. He was a soldier in the Revolution, going to the Lexington Alarm from Connecticut, and afterwards enlisting in Capt. Jonathan Houghton's Company, Col. Smith's Mass. Regiment. The births of their first two children are recorded at Killingly. Soon after 1778 they removed to Charlestown, Montgomery County, N. Y., where he died.

#### Children:

76. i. IRA, b. Nov. 19, 1776.

ii. MERCY, b. April 24, 1778.

iii. Susanna, d. young.

77. iv. Dorcas, b. Jan. 9, 1780.

v. Hannah, b. 1782; m. John Warren Stanton, 1808.

78. vi. ELKANAH, b. May 12, 1784.

vii. SIMEON, b. 1786; no further record.

79. viii. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 3, 1789.

80. ix. ASENATH, b. 1791.

Major Lemuel Corbin (Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1740; m. Rebecca Davis of Oxford, Dec. 8, 1763, at Dudley; she was the dan. of Samuel and Mary Davis, and was b. at Oxford Jan. 10, 1736, and d. at Dudley April 3, 1820. Lemuel Corbin served actively in the Revolution, being in the Lexington Alarm for ten days, sergeant in Capt. Nath'l Healy's Company, Col. Holman's Regiment, in an alarm to Rhode Island, Dec., 1776, for twenty-one days; was commissioned lieutenant of Capt. Elias Pratt's Company, Col. Holman's Regiment (5th Worcester), Sept. 25, 1778; served also at several other (See "Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolutimes. tion." Here the service of Lemuel Corbin and that of Samuel Corbin, both of Dudley, is given together. they were both captains and their names were so similar, they were doubtless taken to be one and the same person. A letter from the adjutant-general shows, however, that most of this service belongs to Lennel.) He became major of the militia after the Revolution, and was captain of the company from Dudley which marched to help suppress Shay's Rebellion. He was a prominent citizen of Dudley, where he held the following offices: Hog-reeve, 1766; east end constable, 1768; warden, 1770, 1781; highway surveyor, 1772, 1773, 1775, 1783, 1785; tything man, 1772; collector, 1775; revolutionary committee of correspondence, 1775, 1778, 1779, 1783, 1785; school committee, 1777; 1782, 1784; selectman, 1787. He was appointed a guardian under the state of the Nipmug Indians. He d. May 7, 1825.

#### Children:

81. i. PHILIP, b. Sept. 13, 1764.

82. ii. Dolly, b. Feb. 3, 1767.

83. iii. LEMUEL, Jr., b. Nov. 8, 1769.

84. iv. REBECCA, b. Jan. 24, 1772. v. Josiah, b. April 29, 1776; d. young.

85. vi. Josiah, 2d, b. Sept. 24, 1778.

86. vii. Sylvia, b. Jan. 31, 1781 (or 1782).

30. John Corbin (Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1741; m. Abigail Harback at Sutton, Jan. 30, 1765. They lived at Dudley and, after 1772, in Woodstock, where the last three children were born, and where he d. April 24, 1807. She d. Sept., 1813, aged 77. They were buried in the old cemetery at West Woodstock.

# Children:

i. ABEL, b. July 6, 1766.

ii. HANNAH, b. April 26, 1768.

87. iii. Thomas, b. April 11, 1771, at Dudley.

iv. John, b. Oct. 14, 1773; d. young.

88. v. Solomon, b. 1777.

89. vi. John, 2d, b. April 2, 1779.

vii. Anna, b. Feb. 27, 1782.

31. WILLIAM CORBIN (Philip, James, Clement), b. April 8, 1746, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Dorothy Perrin July 11, 1771; she was b. March 4, 1746. He was a soldier in the Revolution, serving in the Lexington Alarm and elsewhere. His great grandson, Henry E. Corbyn of Kirkwood, Mo., has three relics handed down from this ancestor, viz., a small mirror, a pewter cannister or sugar bowl, and a brass-mounted powder-horn. He lived in the extreme western part of Woodstock, on what has recently been known as "the Henry Sherman Hill." He d. Nov.

16, 1826; his wife, Dorothy, d. Aug. 1, 1822; both are buried in the Baptist cemetery at West Woodstock.

# Children:

90. i. PENUEL, b. Feb. 20, 1772.

91. ii. JOSEPH PERRIN, b. Oct. 2, 1773.

92. iii. BETSEY, b. Feb. 13, 1775.

**93**. iv. **DOROTHY**, b. June 5, 1777.

94. WINTHROP, b. Dec. 24, 1779 (town records), or Dec. v. 25, 1778 (fam. tradition).

**95**. vi. WILLIAM, b. May 9, 1781.

vii. CRETIA (or Cresia), b. Feb. 19, 1784; m. Alfred Goodell. Ch.: Perrin, John, and Mary Goodell.

EUNICE, b. May 25, 1786; d. Jan. 18, 1790 (Town Rec.), or Jan. 19, 1791 (fam. record).

ABEL, b. April 13, 1789.

(The town records seem to indicate another child, b. Oct. 6, 1778, but the writing is obliterated.)

JEDEDIAH CORBIN (Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 13, 1751, at Dudley; m. Hannah Howe of Dudley, Oct. 9, 1772. He lived in Dudley, where he held the following town offices: Constable for east end, 1780; committee on taxes, 1781; warden, 1785; school committee, 1792; highway surveyor, 1788.

The whole family, except Jedediah, Jr., and Dexter, went west in 1820, first to Ohio and then to Iowa.

### Children:

MOLLEY, b. April 13, 1773.

ALVIN, b. Dec. 3, 1774.

iii. BETSEY, b. Aug. 16, 1778; d. young.

97. iv. JEDEDIAH, b. Nov. 18, 1780.

CALVIN, b. Nov. 23, 1782.

LUCRETIA, b. Jan. 30, 1785. VÌ.

vii. LYMAN, b. Jan. 21, 1787.

**98.** viii. **DEXTER, b. Feb. 14, 1789.** 

> CLARISSA, b. Sept. 8, 1791. ix.

> HARVEY, b. March 10, 1794. X.

Polly, b. Oct. 4, 1797; d. young. xi.

ARTEMAS, b. March 5, 1800; d. young.

Scuyler, b. May 2, 1803; d. young.

33. Lucy Corbin (Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 27, 1743-4; m. Jonathan Conant of Dudley, July 9, 1772. He was b. Jan. 8, 1745-6, at Beverly, Mass., being the son of Daniel Conant. (See Conant Genealogy.) She d. March 6, 1826 (T. R.), or Nov. 6, 1824 (Fam. Rec.).

#### Children:

i. HERVEY CONANT, b. April 10, 1773.

ii. Molly Conant, b. Jan. 9, 1775; m. David Nichols, Jr.

iii. Lucy Conant, b. March 5, 1777.

iv. Jonathan Conant, b. Jan. 4, 1779. v. Daniel Conant, b. Nov. 1, 1781.

vi. SARAH HEALY CONANT, b. Sept. 2, 1784.

34. ELISHA CORBIN (Elisha, James, Clement), b. Nov. 23, 1745, at Dudley; m. Experience Barnes of Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 27, 1775, at Dudley, Mass. He was a farmer at Dudley.

He served six days from April 20, 1775, under Col. Larned and Capt. Ebenezer Craft; as sergeant for three months thirteen days under Col. Larned (14th Regiment), Capt. Samuel Curtiss, in 1775; he was a private, under Col. Jonathan Holman, Capt. Nath'l Healy, at Fort Edward for sixteen days from Oct. 17, 1777; also for nine months from arrival at Fishkill, June 7, 1778. He was a revolutionary pensioner in 1818.

# Children:

i. SALOME, m. and had one ch., a dau.

ii. Stephen, b. Feb. 24, 1782.

iii. DYEB.

35. NATHANIEL CORBIN (Elisha, James, Clement), b. Sept. 29, 1753, at Dudley; m. Keziah Loring.

He was a soldier in the Revolution, serving as follows: Drummer in Capt. Sam'l Curtiss' Company, Col. Larned's Regiment; enlisted May 5, 1775, served three months eight days; corporal in Capt. Abel Mason's Company, Col. Job Cushing's Regiment; enlisted Aug. 16, 1777, discharged Nov. 30, 1777; was at the surrender of Burgoyne. (See Mass. in Rev.) He was a pensioner when he died at Marshfield, Vt., Oct., 1785.

- i. ABIGAIL, m. Thomas Abbott; dau. Abigail Abbott, m. Samuel Stedman Barry (D. A. R., No. 9012, Vol. 10; Lineage Book, D. A. R., p. 5). She (Mrs. Barry) d. in Aug., 1895, at Kenilworth, Cook Co., Ill.
- ii. MUTHUEN.
- iii. LAURA.

36. Joshua Corbin (Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 16, 1757, at Dudley; m. Rhoda Wood at Dudley, Sept. 6, 1781. She was b. May 25, 1763, at Dudley, and d. April 8, 1832. (See Wood Genealogy.)

He was a farmer and a soldier in the Revolution. He

d. Jan. 11, 1851. Pensioner.

# Children:

99. i. SARAH (or Sally), b. Feb. 19, 1782.

100. ii. CYNTHIA, b. Oct. 26, 1783.

101. iii. RHODA, b. Oct. 8, 1785.

102. iv. OTIS, b. Feb. 23, 1788.

103. v. ROYAL, b. Dec. 3, 1790.

104. vi. LEWIS, b. May 28, 1793. 105. vii. MATILDA, b. July 1, 1795.

viii. Bradford, b. ——; d. in infancy.

ix. George, b. March 12, 1800; unm; d. Jan. 23, 1852, at Dudley.

106. x. Joshua, Jr., b. Aug. 28, 1802.

107. xi. CARLETON, b. May 8, 1805.

xii. Bradford, b. July 23, 1808; m. Joanna Cudworth of Oxford; no ch.; he d. Aug., 1878. She d. about 1893. He was a stonecutter at Dudley.

37. Stephen Corbin (Elisha, James, Clement), b. Aug. 5, 1760, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Patience Martha Vinton Sept. 26, 1786; she was b. Sept. 27, 1767. He was a revolutionary soldier, enlisting Jan. 2, 1781, for three years, — age 20, height 5 ft. 7 in., light complexion, — in Capt. Coburn's Company, Col. Grant's Regiment. He received a bounty. Family tradition says that he was one of the guards present at the hanging of Major André. He went to Wardsboro, Vt., where he resided in 1788. About 1817 he removed to Campbell, Steuben County, N. Y. He d. at Cooper's Plains, N. Y., Oct. 19, 1842. His wife d. Nov. 21, 1846, at Cooper's Plains. His grandson, Dr. G. E. Corbin of St. Johns, Mich., furnishes the following reminiscences:

"During my childhood my grandparents lived on a farm about a mile from my home at Campbell, N. Y. My first distinct recollection of my grandfather was on one occasion when I was five years old and was taken up in the night 'to go and see grandpa.' I stayed there two days and then was told that I had a little sister at home whom I had never seen. Soon after this I went to live in grandfather's family, as it was much nearer school. Two years later, in 1838, he was stricken with paralysis and was helpless until his death four years later. I often used to 'draw grandpa' in a rocking chair from his bed to the open fire, where as he sat, I often

heard him tell incidents of his army life. This old soldier who had helped to win the liberties of America, received every care and attention possible in his last years."

### Children:

- 108. i. Stephen, Jr., b. May 14, 1789.
- 109. ii. SYLVIA, b. Feb. 23, 1794.
  - iii. ZERVIAH, b. about 1796; m. Grindle Davis; resided at Yates, Orleans Co., N. Y., where she d. June 19, 1851. One son, Alson Davis, was a lawyer in New York. Other children were Alanson, Josiah, Martha, Rachel, and Orinda Davis.
- 110. iv. Hollis, b. April 8, 1800.
  - v. ALVIN, b. about 1802; m. Charlotte Buck at Cooper's Plains, N. Y., about 1835. He resided at Cooper's Plains, where his children were born, at Reading, Pa., and New York city, and d. at Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 15, 1857. Children:
    - 1. Alexander, b. about 1837; was shot and killed while on a journey by stage coach to California in the early 'sixties, because he refused to give up his possessions to the highway robbers who held up the coach.
    - 2. ELIZABETH, b. about 1839; d. at Elmira, N. Y.
    - 3. MARTHA, b. about 1846.
- 38. Peleg Corbin (Samuel, James, Clement), b. Sept. 7, 1749, at Woodstock; m., 1st, Lavinia (or Levina) Lyon, Jan. 14, 1773; she was b. Aug. 7, 1750, in Woodstock, the dau. of Nehemiah and Mehitable (Child) Lyon, granddau. of Ephraim and Priscilla (Harris) Child, and gr. granddau. of Benjamin and Grace (Morris) Child. (See Child Genealogy.) She d. Nov. 18, 1788. Peleg Corbin m., 2d, Rebecca Day of Oxford, May 26, 1789.

He was a soldier in the Revolution, serving in the Lexington Alarm for four days, and elsewhere. He was prominent in the organization of the town of Thompson, where he was an office-holder, school teacher, and member of the turnpike company. He moved from Thompson to Woodstock about 1814. He made a will May 6, 1811, which was filed April 2, 1816. The births of all the children are recorded in the Woodstock Town Records.

- i. PATTY, b. April 27, 1774; d. unm., Nov. 26, 1844.
- 111. ii. Priscilla, b. Dec. 30, 1776; m. Rensselaer Child.
- 112. iii. Eljakim Lyon, b. Oct. 7, 1777.
  - iv. ICHABOD, b. Nov. 13, 1779; m. Abigail ——, who d. Dec. 7, 1851; left no ch.; d. Jan. 24, 1863.

vi.

113. v. AARON, b. Oct. 7 (or Dec. 15, town records), 1781.

HORACE. b. Oct. 23, 1783; d. Nov. 13, 1802; buried at

Dudley.

viii. Samuel, b. Nov. 5, 1788; d. at Vera Cruz, South America, April, 1819. (Gravestone at North

Woodstock.)

# Children of 2d wife:

ix. REBECCA DAY, b. March 18, 1790.

x. Jane Davis, b. June 19, 1792 (or March 22, 1797, Woodstock town records?); m. Gustavus A. Cum-

mings, Feb. 3, 1823.

xi. Sally Mayo, b. May 9, 1794; m. James Lamson, May 13, 1819, at Woodstock. This James Lamson was the son of David and Sarah (Bliss) Lamson, and was b. Nov. 20, 1870, at Weston, Mass., and d. Dec. 17, 1870, at Westminster, Conn. Sally M. Lamson d. Sept. 28, 1847. Children:

1. SARAH B. LAMSON, b. March 24, 1850, at Woodstock; m. George W. Manahan, April 19, 1838; d. Nov. 23, 1850. Children: Mary E., Sarah J., James L., Elizabeth M., Sally L., George W.

Manahan.

2. James Lamson, b. Oct. 13, 1823, at Wood-

stock; d. Nov. 20, 1845.

3. Mary Lamson, b. Sept. 29, 1830; m. James H. Phillips Sept. 29, 1852; d. Dec. 18, 1898. Child, Frances Adelia Phillips, b. Oct. 3, 1856; m. Albert B. Camp, son of Daniel and Amelia Camp, Dec., 1874; they had one son, Henry Phillips Camp, b. Aug. 30, 1875, who resides in Hartford, Conn.

xii. HANNAH DAY, b. March 9 (or 22, town records), 1797.

xiii. LORINDA, b. Aug. 1, 1799.

39. Samuel Corbin (Samuel, James, Clement), b. Aug. 27, 1751; m., 1st, Mehitable Lyon, April 10, 1777; she was the dau. of Nehemiah and Mehitable (Child) Lyon, and sister of Levina and Lyman Lyon. He m., 2d, Lucy Learned, Jan. 18, 1781; she was the dau. of William and Elizabeth (Mayo) Learned of Oxford, and was b. Dec. 9, 1759.

He seems to have lived both in Woodstock and Dudley. He was a captain in the Revolution. See list of Corbins in the Revolution.

He d. young, June 9, 1785, æ. 34, and was buried at Dudley.

His widow m. Capt. Allen Hancock of Dudley, Jan. 6, 1789, at Thompson, and had four children.

# Children:

- i. LEARNED, b. Oct. 19, 1781; m. Betsey Pierpont Waldo of Pomfret, Conn., April 9, 1814; she was b. Aug. 11, 1781; went South; no ch.; he d. Oct. 22, 1818.
- ii. Mehitable, b. April 7, 1783; m. Peter Butler of Oxford, Nov. 23, 1800. He was b. Dec. 16, 1774, at Arrowsee Island, Maine, being the son of James and Mary (Sigourney) Butler (see the Davis genealogy). He was a hatter, and kept tavern and store at Oxford. He was a man of decided character, strict integrity, social, kind-hearted, active in church. He d. Dec. 30, 1856. She d. Dec. 2, 1836. 9 ch.
- iii. Lucy, b. April 1, 1785; m. John Brown, Oct. 31, 1808. He was b. in R. I., Sept. 20, 1780; settled in Dudley; he d. June 3, 1834. She d. April 20, 1835. He was a manufacturer, a leading citizen, major of the militia, and justice of the peace. 8 ch.
- 40. Hannah Corbin (Samuel, James, Clement), b. Sept. 25, 1756; m. Lyman Lyon, son of Nehemiah and Mehitable (Child) Lyon, Jan. 23, 1777. He was b. at Woodstock, March 10, 1753. They lived at Woodstock.

#### Children:

- i. ELIAKIM LYON, b. Nov. 3, 1777; d. 1856.
- ii. Samuel Lyon, b. Sept., 1784; d. 1848.
- iii. NEHEMIAH LYON, b. Oct. 15, 1786; d. 1840.
- iv. LYMAN LYON, Jr., b. Aug., 1794; d. 1860.
- v. Meilitable Lyon, b. Dec. 25, 17—.
- vi. PATTY LYON, b. Sept. 17, 1781; d. 1807.
- vii. HANNAH LYON, b. Sept. 6, 1789; d. 1850.
- viii. NANCY LYON, b. June 23, 1792; d. 1850.
- 41. ABIJAH CORBIN (Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 8, 1722, at Woodstock; m. Abigail Wright April 20, 1749 (int. March 22, 1749); she was b. Feb. 15, 1728. He d. Oct. 16, 1808, at Woodstock.

- i. HANNAH, b. April 25, 1750.
- ii. ESTHER, bapt. Oct. 26, 1755.
- iii. ABIGAIL, bapt. June 24, 1759.
- iv. ALICE, b. March 22, 1766; m. Wm. Paul (?), Jan. 9, 1803.
- v. DANIEL, b. Oct. 6, 1768.
- vi. A dau. (record obliterated), b. Oct. 24, 1775.

42. Jabez Corbin, 3D (Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. March 21, 1725; m. Sarah Abbott Dec. 27, 1758. He lived in Woodstock, where his marriage and birth of two children are recorded.

# Children:

114. i. Jonathan, b. Aug. 20, 1760.

115. ii. SARAH, b. Jan. 11, 1764.

Jabez Corbin d. while these children were young. The mother married again, and these two were brought up as orphans at Muddy Brook, now E. Woodstock.

43. ALICE CORBIN (Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. July 20, 1732; m. Sebastian Cabot about 1767. He was the son of Rev. Marston and Mary (Dwight) Cabot of Thompson, and was born May 26, 1737. Mary Dwight was dau. of Rev. Josiah Dwight, the first pastor at Woodstock, and was b. 1709; m. Rev. Marston Cabot July 22, 1731. He was pastor for twenty-seven years (from 1729 to his death in 1756) of the "North Society of Killingly," now Thompson, Conn., "an excellent and godly man." He d. suddenly in his pulpit April 8, 1756, æ. 52.

Sebastian Cabot, his son, was a farmer at Thompson and later at Hartland, Vt.; d. at the latter place June 30,

1797.

- i. Sebastian Cabot, Jr., b. June 1, 1769, at Thompson; grad. Dartmouth, 1797; taught, 1798-1800, at Moor's Indian Charity School at Hanover; studied divinity with Rev. Dr. John Smith of Dartmouth, and settled as Congregational minister at Pelham, Mass. (now Prescott); he soon resigned on account of ill health and devoted himself to teaching for life. The last fifteen years of his life were spent in Enfield, Mass., where he d. July 15, 1853, æ. 84. He m. Electa Osborne, dau. of Zebedee, Oct. 10, 1809. Child:
- 1. ELBRIDGE CABOT; lived at Enfield. Mass. ii. JUSTIN CABOT; lived at Chelsea, Mass.
- 44. Capt. John Corbin, Jr. (John, Jabez, Clement), b. July 11, 1729; m. Abigail Cabot, dau. of Rev. Marston and Mary (Dwight) Cabot, Feb. 9, 1761. She was b.

June 13, 1741. (See Descendants of John Dwight of Dedham, Mass.)

They resided at Killingly, Conn., whence they removed to Kinderhook, N. Y., and afterwards to Albany, where he owned a Hudson River sloop. He was a captain in the Revolution and was present at the battle of Bemis Heights and Burgoyne's surrender. He invested his means in Continental money and lost his property. He d. at Champlain Feb. 14, 1803. She d. June 26, 1777.

# Children born at Killingly:

- 116. i. Charity, b. June 25, 1762.
- 117. ii. MARTHA, b. Aug. 24, 1764.
- 118. iii. ROYAL, b. June 12, 1766.

45. Lieut. Asa Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement), b. March 6, 1742, at Thompson, Conn.; m. Mercy Harlow, who was b. May 9, 1756, and spent her younger years at Plymouth, Mass., where she used to play around "Plymouth Rock." Once she washed her apron at the water's edge and hung it on a bush to dry, but the tide carried it off and she went home broken-hearted. She was a very superior woman.

Asa Corbin was a revolutionary soldier from Thompson (Killingly township), Conn., serving in the Lexington Alarm, and in the 8th Company, 3d Regiment (Gen. Putnam's), from May 8 to Dec. 14, 1775. Prof. Perry, in his "History of Williamstown," states that "Asa, Amasa, and Joseph Corbin were all in revolutionary service in the 11th Conn. Regiment in 1776 around New York."

He lived in Thompson until about 1783, and there his first three children were b. and recorded at Killingly; then he moved to Williamstown, Mass., and settled in the south part of the town, where he d. Jan. 6, 1808. His widow d. at the home of her son Hamlin, at Marshall, Oneida County, N. Y., March 24, 1841, aged 84.

- 119. i. SARAH, b. March 22, 1779.
  - ii. DARIUS, b. Sept. 30, 1780; d. April 3, 1849, in Canada.
- 120. iii. John, b. July 28, 1782.
- 121. iv. NANCY, b. April 3, 1784.

v. Lois, b. March 16, 1786; m. John Van Werner; d. March 20, 1857.

122. vi. HAMLIN, b. Dec. 11, 1788.

vii. MARTHA, b. July 20, 1790; d. Aug. 11, 1790.

123. viii. JAMES, b. July 21, 1791.

ix. Polly, b. Aug. 27, 1793; d. Sept. 18, 1795.

124. x. Sophia, b. July 27, 1796.

125. xi. WILLIAM HARLOW, b. Sept. 23, 1798.

46. Amasa Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement), b. March 6, 1742, at Killingly; was never married. He served in the Revolutionary War, both in Connecticut and Massachusetts. His service in Connecticut is given as follows: Lexington Alarm, seven days; in 8th Company, 3d Regiment (Gen. Putnam's) May 10-Dec. 6, 1775, around Boston (hence probably at the battle of Bunker Hill); in Capt. Stone's Company, capture of Burgoyne, Aug. 23-Nov. 9, 1777.

Just after this campaign he settled in Williamstown, Mass., through which place he probably passed on the Burgoyne campaign, with his brother Joseph. His brothers Asa and William also settled there.

His service in Massachusetts is given as follows: In Capt. Samuel Clark's Company, Col. Benjamin Simonds' (Berkshire) Regiment, Oct. 26, 1780, to Oct. 27, 1780, three days on a march to the northward on an alarm. (What a pity that he did not marry, so that some descendants could join the Daughters of the Revolution!)

He built a grist and saw-mill at Williamstown.

He died at Williamstown, June 17, 1812, in his 71st year. (Gravestone at S. Williamstown.)

47. WILLIAM CORBIN (John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 6, 1744; m. and lived at Williamstown, Mass., where he was a farmer.

He had four sons; two of them, John and James, lived in Williamstown on the premises of their uncle, Amasa Corbin, the bachelor; two others, William and Hamilton, were farmers near Utica, N. Y. Their descendants, if any, have been lost sight of.

48. Joseph Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement), b. May 30, 1751, at Thompson Parish, Killingly, Conn.; m. Mary Tallmadge about 1772. She was b. Feb. 21, 1784, at

Hamden, near New Haven, Conn., and was the dau. of Daniel and Mary (Thompson) Tallmadge.

Daniel Tallmadge was b. in Hamden, Conn., March 30, 1711; m. Mary Thompson, Aug. 24, 1738. He lived and died at Hamden, and his estate was administered March 3, 1794. He was the son of Robert and Abigail (Peck) Tallmadge. Robert Tallmadge was b. in Hamden Oct. 5, 1684, the son of Thomas Tallmadge (b. Oct. 17, 1650, in New Haven, and d. March, 1733), and grandson of Robert Tallmadge, the first settler, who lived in New Haven and d. about 1685. He m. Sarah Nash, dau. of Thomas and Margery (Baker) Nash.

Abigail Peck, b. May 2, 1683, was living in 1768; she was the dau. of Joseph Peck, who was bapt. Sept. 5, 1647, and lived and d. in New Haven; he m. Sarah, dau. of Roger Alling of New Haven, Nov. 28, 1672. Joseph Peck's widow administered his estate in 1720. He was the son of Henry Peck, one of the first settlers of New Haven, in 1638, and who d. in 1651. Roger Alling was another of the first settlers of New Haven, a deacon, and treasurer of the colony in 1661 and for some years after. He d. before 1683; he was a sergeant in the militia (Conn. Col. Records, Vol. I, p. 23). He m. Mary Nash, dau. of Thomas Nash; she d. Aug. 16, 1683. Thomas Nash and wife, Margery Baker, came over as early as 1637. He signed the compact at New Haven, was a gunsmith, and d. May 12, 1653. His wife d. Feb. 11, 1656. She was the dau. of Nicholas Baker of Herts. Their children were all b. in England. He was at Guilford in 1639.

Joseph Corbin was a Revolutionary soldier, his record being as follows:

From the record of the Pension Bureau —

"Enlisted at Killingly, Sept., 1776, for three months, under Capt. Samuel Chandler, Col. Dennison; served around New York. Enlisted also in Dec., 1776, under the same. Enlisted in the fall of 1778 at Williamstown, Mass., for one month under Capt. Clark, Col. Simons. Enlisted, spring of 1779, for three weeks under the same. Applied for pension at Champlain, N. Y., and received \$22.33 per annum from March 4, 1831.

From Massachusetts Soldiers in the Revolution —

"In Capt. Sloan's Company, Col. Barnes' Regiment, Oct. 11-22, 1781, on an alarm to Saratoga."

He removed with his family from Killingly, Conn., to Williamstown, Mass., about 1778, and to Champlain, N. Y., about 1798. He d. at Champlain, N. Y., Oct. 3, 1838. His wife, who was quite an intellectual woman, d. at Champlain, Aug. 16, 1838.

Children — the first two b. at Killingly, the rest at Williamstown, Mass.:

i. Amasa, b. Oct. 26, 1773; d. unm., April 16, 1799, at Champlain, where he was a merchant.

126. ii. WILLIAM, b. March 2, 1778.

- 127. iii. MARTHA, b. Oct. 20, 1779.
  - iv. Alpha, b. July 30, 1781; m. Clarissa Bosworth, dau. of John and Hannah (Smith) Bosworth, at Champlain. One dau., Eliza, who-d. young and is buried at Mooers, N. Y. He d. Aug. 17, 1827, at Champlain.

128. v. Mary, b. Aug. 8, 1783; d. Oct. 8, 1870.

vi. Marsena, b. Oct. 25, 1784; m. George Sullivan and had 5 ch.; she m., 2d, Amos Barber of Beekmantown, N. Y. She d. at Galena, Ill., Aug. 5, 1883. Children by 1st husband:

1. MARY SULLIVAN, m. William B. Underhill and had one son, Charles Underhill. She d. about

1831.

- 3. CATHERINE SULLIVAN, m. Lucius Felt of Beekmantown, N. Y. They lived at Galena, Ill., where they d. They had 4 children, two sons who d. in childhood, and
  - 3. KATHERINE FELT, m. Moses Hallett, U. S. district judge, Denver, Col. She d. Sept. 19, 1902.
    - 4. Susan Felt, m. Lieut. Barber, U. S. army.
  - 4. George Sullivan, never married.

5. MARTHA SULLIVAN, never married.

vii. Joseph, b. Jan. 29, 1789; d. unm., at Champlain, Dec. 23, 1823.

1294. ix. Hosmer, b. May 18, 1793.

49. Amos Corbin (Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 9, 1735; m. Keziah Mason May 28, 1761.

#### Children:

i. Benjamin, b. May 4, 1762 (later history unknown).

ii. SETH, b. May 15, 1770; d. Oct. 13, 1776.

iii. Kezia, b. May 12, 1772; d. Oct. 9, 1776.

- iv. ALICE, b. April 30, 1776; perhaps m. Wm. Paul, Jan. 9, 1803 (Wd. Town Rec.).
- 50. ASAHEL CORBIN (Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 5, 1740; m. Jerusha Morse of Sturbridge, Mass., Dec. 22, 1763. He was a Revolutionary soldier, being in the Lexington Alarm, and in the 11th Conn. Regiment

around New York in 1776. He lived in the western part of Woodstock, where he d. March 31, 1814.

# Children:

130. i. DAVID, b. Feb. 16, 1766.

ii. Molley, twin of David, b. Feb. 16, 1766.

iii. RHODA, b. March 10, 1768; m. Simeon Lillie.

iv. Keziah, b. May 20, 1770; d. Sept. 21, 1783.

131. v. AMASA, b. 1772.

132. vi. SYLVIA, b. Feb. 20, 1775.

vii. JERUSHA, b. Dec. 7, 1778; m. Leonard Goodell.

The Woodstock town records also give a "Maniloa,
d. Nov. 19, 1765," probably the first-born child; there
is also another child, b. about 1777, whose record
is obliterated.

51. SILAS CORBIN (Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 17, 1740, in Woodstock; m. Mrs. (?) Anna Fisk of Sturbridge, Dec. 30, 1767. They lived in Woodstock, where the children were b.

# Children:

i. TRIPHENA, b. Feb. 2, 1768.

133. ii. EBENEZER, b. Oct. 31, 1769.

134. iii. HENRY, b. March 11, 1771.

iv. SILAS, b. May 12, 1773; d. young.

135. v. LUTHER, b. Feb. 18, 1775.

vi. Anna, b. June 1, 1776; d. June 15, 1802.

vii. CALVIN, b. Aug. 24, 1788; d. young.

viii. Beulah, b. Jan. 18, 1781; m. Ezra Lyon of Woodstock, Oct. 10, 1802.

ix. EUNICE, b. Oct. 8, 1782.

The Woodstock town records, which are partly obliterated, seem to give also a son, b. Dec. 12, 1784, a dau., b. March 12, 1787, and another son, b. March 13, 1789.

52. Samuel Corbin (Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. at Woodstock, Conn., June 12, 1745; m. Sarah Richmond (widow of ———— Bicknell, by whom she had one son Joseph Bicknell), Jan. 10 (22), 1771, by Rev. Robt. Rogerson, at Rehoboth, Mass.

They settled at Putnam, Vt., but removed from there about 1787, on an ox sled to Bainbridge, N. Y., where their descendants have since lived. He d. May 24, 1820. She d. May 14, 1822.

#### Children:

136. i. SYLVESTER, b. June 17, 1771.

137. ii. SAMUEL, b. Aug. 23, 1772.

- iii. SABAH, b. March 15, 1774; m. Asa White; she d. April 2, 1845.
- SELAH, b. Dec. 15, 1775; m. Thos. Humphrey. iv. Susanna, b. Aug. 20, 1777; d. Feb. 18, 1786. v. PATIENCE, b. March 28, 1780; d. Oct. 19, 1782. vi.
- RICHMOND, b. Feb. 18, 1783; d. May 16, 1789. vii.
- ROBERT, b. Dec. 10, 1786; d. Sept. 22, 1810; m., had viii.

one dau., Mary, then was killed by accident. Mary m. — Johnson; 4 ch. Grandch.: Mrs. Stephen Millard, Binghamton; James W. Johnson, Tribune Bldg., N. Y.

ROBERT CORBIN (Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. 1748; m. Sybel Bliss, dau. of Daniel Bliss, March 24, 1774. Her father gave her some land, April 25, 1780, which he purchased for £120 from Joseph and Susanna Bliss. They lived at Rehoboth and Seekonk, Mass.

Robert Corbin d. Feb. 11, 1815, æ. 68; Sybel Corbin

d. April 1, 1812, æ. 67.

# Children:

ROBERT, b. Jan. 15, 1775; d. Aug. 30, 1777.

Susanna, b. Nov. 25, 1780; d. Jan. 9, 1781.

iii. BENJAMIN, b. June 19, 1787, at Seekonk.

ELIPHALET CORBIN (Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. about 1756; had his mother for his guardian until 1774, when Samuel Bliss was appointed, May 2d.

(See Bliss' History of Rehoboth, Mass., p. 151.)

He was a Revolutionary soldier, serving as follows: In Bliss' Company, Walker's Regiment, three months, eleven days, 1775; also in Capt. Drown's Company, Oct., 1775, and in Capt. Joseph Perry's Company. Was a pensioner from Massachusetts in 1818. He also served in Rhode Island in 1777, and in the 4th Conn. Regiment in 1780, on the Hudson.

Oct. 5, 1785, he was a member of the Baptist Society at Killingly. It is not known whom he married. He probably lived at Rehoboth, Mass., for a time.

#### Children:

139. SAMUEL.

140. WILLIAM, b. April 9, 1800.

141. iii. JAMES.

142. iv. DIADAMA.

> JOHN. v.

vi. SALLY.

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55. CLEMENT CORBIN (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 15, 1764, in Dudley, Mass.; m. Sabra Chamberlain, Sept. 17, 1789. He was a soldier in Erastus Wolcott's Company, Grosvenor's Regiment, from Dec., 1780, to the end of the Revolution, and was made sergeant for meritorious service. He resided first in Thompson, Conn., removed to Charlestown, N. H., in 1797, and became an extensive landholder there. He received a pension in New Hampshire in 1818 as a Revolutionary soldier from Connecticut. He d. June 2, 1853.

#### Children:

- i. Lucy, b. June 3, 1792, in Dudley, Mass.; m. John Thornton of Acworth, and had 3 ch.: Ann, Milton, and Sabra.
- ii. ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 20, 1794; d. unm.
- iii. CLARISSA, b. April 1, 1798.
- iv. SABRA, m. Clark, and had one child, Amanda.
- 143. v. EZBOND, b. June 11, 1800.
- 144. vi. ICHABOD, b. Aug. 12, 1802.
- 145. vii. John, b. 1804.
  - viii. HEALY.
  - ix. OLIVER, d. in infancy.
- 146. x. Mehitable, b. April 10, 1811.
- 147. xi. Samuel Newell, b. Aug. 3, 1813.
- 148. xii. Jane Grey, b. Aug. 17, 1821.
- 56. EBENEZER CORBIN (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 5, 1766; m. Mary Simons, dau. of Hazel Simons. He resided first at Thompson, Conn., then at Charlestown, N. H. His wife d. Jan. 17, 1840, æ. 61, and was buried at Warren, Pa.

- 149. i. CHARLES.
  - ii. MATILDA.
  - iii. Horace.
  - iv. FANNY.
  - v. CAROLINE, b. 1809; m. John Corbin, her cousin (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement).

150. vi. Nelson, b. March, 1810.

vii. EBENEZER, b. about 1820; resided in Charlestown, N. H.; was a soldier in the 2d N. H. Vol., Heavy Artillery, from Sept., 1863, to May 16, 1865. One ch.: Ella.

viii. CLEMENT.

57. Thomas Corbin (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 12, 1772, at Killingly, Conn.; m. Relief Johnson (or Brown?); he moved to Worcester, Mass., and in 1800 to Warren (then Martell), Pa. He was a stone mason and was killed while working in a well near Owego, N. Y., in 1806. His widow afterwards m. Benjamin Child and moved to Stafford, Conn. They had two children, Ann Child, m., 1st, Simeon Williams, 2d, ——Carpenter; and Maria Child, m. John Bruff.

#### Children:

151. i. Joshua, b. Nov. 17, 1800.

152. ii. HENRY.

iii. Alphonso (twin). b. Feb. 7, 1805; d. in infancy.

153. iv. ALONZO (twin of above), b. Feb. 7, 1805.

v. Eliza, b. 1806; m. George Lines of Warren, Pa. Ch.: Relief. m. Aaron Foster Corbin, Sally, Alonzo, Lucy, and George Lines.

154. vi. Lewis, b. Sept. 7, 1807.

58. Henry Payson Corbin (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 6, 1774, at Killingly, Conn.; m. Nancy Prince Feb. 21, 1833; she was b. Oct. 12, 1817, at Warren, Pa. He was a farmer at Warren, and, after 1841, a grocer at Owego. He d. in 1856. His widow m. Simon Williams and afterwards Cary Wright. She d. in 1894. The first seven children were b. in Warren, Pa.

# Children:

i. Joseph Bollvar, b. Jan. 30, 1834; d. by being killed by a horse at Albany, Kansas, in 1868.

ii. Santandar Payson, b. July 20, 1835; m. ——; d. in Atchinson, Kansas, in 1872; dau. Anna Sandelia Alberta Corbin, at Victor, Iowa.

iii. Henry LaFayette, b. Dec. 5, 1836; d. 1838.

iv. CLEMENT CLAY (twin), b. April 15, 1838; d. at Pilot Knob, Mo., 1864; was a soldier in 8th Wisconsin Vol. Inf.

v. CLINTON CAPRON (twin), b. April 15, 1838; d. in Polo, Ogle Co., Ill., in 1885; son: Harry Payson Corbin, Windham, Pa.

vi. JULIETTE HILL, b. Feb. 10, 1840; d. 1842.

- vii. CYNTHIA SOPHIA ANNA MARIA, b. June 3, 1841; m. Ezra Bardin; d. in Newark Valley, N. Y., 1870. viii. Henry Nelson, b. Jan. 31, 1846, at Owego, N. Y.; m. Carrie Irene Waterman, Aug. 29, 1897; son: Raymond O. Corbin; res. Nichols, N. Y.
- 59. Penuel Corbin (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. in 1779 at Thompson, Conn.; moved with his parents to Charlestown, N. H., and thence to Bradford County, Pa.; m. Nancy Rogers of Bradford County, Pa., Feb. 5, 1814. They lived at first at Warren, Pa., where the children were born. In 1849, owing to failure of health, he went to Owego, and after living there for two years, went to Wisconsin, where he passed the rest of his life. His daughter, Mrs. Mary Turner, thus describes the journey:

"In 1851 father disposed of what loose property he had, left the farm to be sold, and started with his family, except Philip, Sophia, and Jacob, who had preceded them, for the then wild West. We took the N. Y. & Erie R. R. to Dunkirk and thence around the Great Lakes to Milwaukee. Then we rode for three days over prairie, through swamps, fording streams, until we came to Moscow, Iowa Co., a distance of 100 miles. Father, after a few months' rest, regained health and took up a farm of 160 acres in the town of Argyle, Lafayette Co., in a beautiful valley, later called Yankee Valley, Here were numerous wolves, wildcats, rattle-snakes and occasionally deer."

Penuel Corbin d. in Argyle, Wis., in 1874, aged 96. Nancy Corbin d. in Moscow, Wis., in 1864. Five of the daughters were teachers.

#### Children:

155. i. ANGELINE PRINCE, b. May 28, 1818.

156. ii. Philip Rogers, b. Sept. 2, 1820.

- iii. Thomas Morris, b. July 27, 1823; m. Jane Hammersley; 4 ch.; a dau., Mrs. Angeline Johnson, lives at Three Lakes, Wis. He was a soldier in the Civil War and was wounded and discharged in 1864. He d. at the Soldiers' Home in Milwaukee in 1902.
- iv. Zerviah (or Sophia), b. July 25, 1825; m. Chauncey Smith, Aug. 16, 1846; he was b. June 4, 1821, and d. Feb. 20, 1855. He was a miller at Moscow, Wis. They had two children, Laura, who d. at the age of 16, and Jacob C. Smith, who lives at Blanchardville, Wis. She m., 2d, John Greene of Dayton, Wis., who served three years during the Civil War as colonel, and who d. in 1880. They had two children, who in youth d. of consumption. Zerviah d. Oct. 8, 1868.

- v. SARAH ROGERS, b. March 26, 1827; m. Loren Scovil of Springfield, Ill.; no ch. She d. at Delevan, Ill., in 1849.
- 1561. vi. JACOB BURBANK, b. June 25, 1830.
  - vii. ALTHERDA, b. June 25, 1832; m. John H. Dudley, from Maine, in 1859. He enlisted in 1861, but was discharged for disability in 1862. In 1863 he was appointed postmaster of Moscow, Wis., and held that office 29 years until his death. She lives now in Bellville, Wis. Children:
    - 1. EUNICE DUDLEY, m. James Richards; res., Bellville, Wis.
    - 2. WILLIAM DUDLEY, m. Mary Severson; editor of the State Journal in N. Dakota.
    - 3. FRANK DUDLEY, cashier of the bank at Bradley, S. Dakota.
  - viii. EUNICE KING, b. March 15, 1834; m. Charles D. Todd of Money Creek, Minn.; emigrated in 1879 to Bradley, S. Dak., where they took half a section of land and where he d. in 1896, aged 64. No ch. She still lives at Bradley.
  - ix. Rhoda Lloyd, b. March 16, 1836; m. Edwin M. Britts of Mt. Vernon, Wis., in 1858. He was a millwright and built several mills, the last one being in Verndale, Minn., where they reside. Children: Jennie, m. and lives in Iowa; Charles, a banker in Duluth; Clara, d.; William, lives in Oregon; Alice, a teacher in the high school in Duluth; Bruce, in mercantile business in Duluth; Frank, d.; Fred, cashier in bank.
  - MIRANDA SOPHIA, b. Jan. 20, 1838; m. Joseph Mc-Mertry of Moscow, Wis., in 1860. He was a black-smith; enlisted in 1861; was wounded and discharged in 1863; was sheriff of Richland County, Wis., for eight years; removed to a farm at Windham, Cottonwood County, Minn., where he was postmaster five years, and d. in 1892. She d. there in 1881. A dau., Maud, m. Fred Leonard, and lives at Grangeville, Idaho; another dau., Ida, d. in 1876.
  - xi. Mary, b. March 11, 1839; m. George C. Turner, Oct. 14, 1857, at Argyle, Wis. They went to live at Mantorville, Wis., where he and E. M. Britts built a flour mill. Mrs. Turner gives the following account of their experiences:

"Before the mill was completed the Civil War broke out and the Indians began making trouble on the frontier. People coming through from settlements west of us reported friends killed and families massacred. On the 18th of Aug. 1861 a horseman came riding up to the gate and called out, 'Be ready to flee for the Indians are within fifteen miles of us and on the warpath.' My husband had gone to church and left me alone with two little children, one not quite two years old and the other an infant two weeks old. My sister, Mrs. Britts, who lived in the other part of the

house, helped pick up a few things for the children and we scrambled into a farm wagon and went out two miles where we found the people of the neighborhood gathered. Some of the women were so excited that they wore men's hats, some with nothing but slippers on their feet, others bareheaded and one had a bed blanket around her. One woman had three children on an ox wagon with a feather bed, half a barrell of beans and a pitchfork. My husband on his way to church heard the report and went out with other horsemen to ascertain the truth and found that the Indians were fifty instead of fifteen miles away. So we went home unmolested."

They afterwards lived in Frederickton, New Brunswick, for two years and then returned and settled at Winona, Minn. Mr. Turner d. July 9, 1884. Children:

- 1. James Edward Turner; is deputy collector of customs at Portal, N. Dakota.
- 2. George Burnside Turner, station agent and telegraph operator at Fulda, Minn.
- 3. Myron Alfred Turner, mail clerk on the Milwaukee & St. Paul R. R., residing at La Crosse, Wis.
- 4. MARY ALTHERDA (twin of above), resides at Winona with her mother.

5. RALPH C. TURNER, grad. from the Winona Normal School, taught three years, then attended

- the State University two years, when his eyes failed. He is in the furniture business at Arcadia, Wis., and a prominent worker in the M. E. church. JAMES PENUEL, b. Sept. 26, 1841 or 1843; m. Sarah Britts of Mantorville, Minn., sister of Edwin Britts He was in the Eighth Wisconsin, the "Eagle Regiment," during the Civil War, and was promoted from sergeant to first lieutenant. was a miller for several years, but after 1878, for 13 years, was mail clerk on the train from Sleepy Eye, Minn., to Redfield, S. Dakota. He now resides at Bradley, S. Dakota. Children: Marie, d. in 1885; Joel P., postmaster at Brookings, S. Dak.; Ellen, m. Isaac Jones; Robert, a brakeman, killed at Sleepy Eye, Minn., in 1895; Myrtle, m. — Goodell, postmaster and merchant at Butler, S. Dak.; Lucy, m. George Alton, a butcher in Pipestone, Minn.; Eugene, clerk in store in N. Dak.
- 60. OLIVER CORBIN (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1783, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Lucy B. Hill Sept. 21, 1806; she was b. in 1787, the dau. of James Hill, who was cook for Gen. Washington. He came to Warren, Pa., about 1801, where he lived and d. Feb. 20, 1870. She d. Dec. 26, 1880.

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# Children:

157. i. Chauncey, b. May 24, 1808. 158. ii. Ira West, b. Feb. 15, 1811.

159. iii. WILLIAM FOSTER, b. June 17, 1813.

iv. Mary Ann, b. May 31, 1816; m. Simeon Brainerd of Windham; 5 ch.: Frank, Susan, Fred, Della, and Agnes Brainerd. Della m. Wilmot Chaffee and lives at Sheshequin, Pa.

160. v. DANIEL H., b. May 31, 1816. 161. vi. John Lollis, b. July 26, 1819.

162. vii. Lucy Saxton, b. Jan. 23, 1822.

viii. Susan Saxton, b. Nov. 29, 1826; m. 1st, George Coburn; m. 2d, John Quimby; she d. in 1900.

ix. Oliver, Jr., b. March 18, 1829; d. in 1860.

61. AARON CORBIN (Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 17, 1790, at or near New Haven, Conn.; m. Rhoda Loyd Sutton in 1814.

They lived at Warren, Pa., where he d. Nov. 17, 1870, and she d. Dec. 10, 1877.

#### Children:

163. i. Nelson Durgin, b. March 1, 1815.

164. ii. Sophia Healy, b. April 26, 1816. 165. iii. Charles Sutton, b. July 5, 1817

6. iii. Charles Sutton, b. July 5, 1817. iv. Aaron Foster, b. April 30, 1819; d. April 15, 1820.

166. v. AARON FOSTER, 2d, b. Aug. 8, 1820.

167. vi. MARIETTE A., b. Feb. 22, 1822.

vii. ADALINE SUTTON, b. Oct. 5, 1823; d. Feb. 25, 1828.

168. viii. John Adams, b. May 12, 1825. 169. ix. Robert S., b. Feb. 22, 1827.

170. x. ADALINE RUSSELL, b. March 21, 1829. xi. ANNA, b. Aug. 11, 1830; d. May 26, 1843.

171. xii. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 22, 1832.

xiii. Maria Coburn, b. Nov. 19, 1833; m. James P. Beldine, April, 1856; she d. May 3, 1859; son, Henry, d. young.

172. xiv. Ellen Amanda, b. Oct. 20, 1836.

173. xv. Rhoda Anna, b. Nov. 6, 1845.

62. ELIJAH CORBIN (Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 28, 1767; m. Orinda Child June 23, 1790, at Thompson.

# Children b. at Thompson:

- i. Perley, b. May 5, 1791.
- ii. ALICE, b. Feb. 27, 1793.
- 63. Parley Corbin (Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 22, 1799; m. Dolly Perrin, who was b. March 2, 1770, and d. Nov. 5, 1851; he d. Jan. 8, 1844; both are buried in a family burying-ground near New Boston, Conn.

#### Children:

i. Lucy, b. Nov. 13, 1798; d. unm., March 31, 1874.

174. ii. SCHUYLER, b. May 22, 1800.

iii. ROYAL, b. March 10, 1802; d. Oct. 20, 1803.

- iv. WILLARD, b. April 12, 1804; m. Rowena Palmer of Thompson, Nov. 18, 1836; he d. July 12, 1842. They had one son, Charles P., b. in 1837; m. Sophia Underwood of Woodstock, May 4, 1861, at Thompson; he d. Sept. 29, 1896, and she has since d.; no issue.
- v. Nancy, b. July 25, 1806; m. Hyram Jordan of New Boston, Conn. Children:

1. PARLEY JORDAN, m. Mary Chaffee; one child,

Louise, m. Myron Pearce, and has 2 ch.

2. HYRAM JORDAN, m. Anna Blackmer, and had 2 ch. Frank m. Mertice Chaffee; is a bookkeeper at Stevens' Woolen Mill at Quinebaug, Conn.; 2 ch.

2. CLIFFORD JORDAN; is supt. of the Intervale Woolen Mills of Eben Stevens at Webster, Mass.

- 4. SARAH JORDAN, m. Amasa Coman of Thompson; 3 ch.: Susan, m. Henry Spencer, lives in Providence, R. I.; Herbert; and Lucy, m. Frank Converse of Thompson; 2 ch., live at N. Grosvenordale, Conn.
- vi. MARY, b. April 24, 1810; d. May 5, 1813.
- 64. Daniel Corbin (Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 22, 1771, at Thompson Parish, Killingly, Conn.; m. Esther Copeland April 10, 1803, at Thompson, Ct. The first two children were b. in Thompson. Soon after 1805 they removed to Greene, Chenango County, N. Y., in company with John Corbin (John, Philip, James, Clement). He d. Oct. 4, 1842. She d. Nov. 22, 1870.

#### Children:

i. ESTHER, b. Feb. 25, 1804; m. Hiram Starkey, Dec. 13, 1825; she d. Feb. 25, 1868.

ii. DAVID C., b. Nov. 1, 1805; he d. May 2, 1862.

175. iii. DANIEL, Jr., b. Jan. 4, 1808.

iv. ADELINE, b. Feb. 15, 1811; d. May 22, 1852.

v. Julian (Julia Ann), b. Feb. 6, 1813; m. Peter Dedrick, Jan. 17, 1839; she d. Dec. 14, 1861.

vi. Jonathan, b. May 12, 1815; d. Oct. 13, 1816.

vii. MARY, b. March 26, 1817.

viii. MARCIA, b. Nov. 12, 1819; d. Feb. 25, 1822.

ix. MARCIA E., b. April 1, 1822; m. Nicholas Perrine, Feb. 12, 1844.

x. HARRIET, b. Nov. 2, 1825; m. John Ellis, Feb. 6, 1848.

JAMES Corbin (James, James, James, Dr. Clement), b. Jan. 2, 1762, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Lois Kibbe, dau. of Capt. Charles Kibbe of Somers, Conn. He was a soldier in the Revolution. (See List.) He moved to Newport, N. II., about 1790, where he became the pioneer physician of that place. He had received his medical education with Dr. Corey of Sturbridge, Mass., and Dr. Hamilton of Somers, Conn. When he settled in Newport the country was almost a wilderness, the people were few and scattered, and the roads were rough and often through dense forests. His chief method of travel was on horseback, and the amount of labor, fatigue, and exposure encountered was great. He was also a skillful farmer, and owned a good place outside the village. He was a good friend and a worthy townsman, fond of company and cheerful in disposition. He d. Jan. 26, 1826. His wife d. Dec. 3, 1845.

# Children b. at Newport, N. H.:

176. i. Austin, b. Nov. 28, 1791.

177. ii. Lois, b. Jan. 19, 1794.

iii. James. b. April 17, 1796; m. Elizabeth Nichols (or Mitchell) of Burlington, Vt.; became a physician in Canada; had at least one child, Louisa May.

iv. Mary Ann. b. Jan. 17, 1798; m. Samuel Hurd, Jr., Jan., 1818; he d. Aug. 5, 1826; she m. 2d, Adam Gilmore of Bedford. Children:

1. CHARLES HURD, b. ——; was a clerk in A. T. Stewart's store in New York.

2. W. WALLACE HURD; a dentist at Amityville, L. I.

3. SAMUEL HURD.

178. v. Polly, b. Sept. 12, 1800.

179. vi. CHARLES, b. July 10, 1802.

66. Susannah Corbin (James, James, James, Clement), b. June 22, 1772; m. James Rice in 1797. He was

b. Feb. 22, 1772, and traces his ancestry back to Edmund Rice from Barkhamstead, Hertfordshire, Eng., as follows: James (Oliver, Azariah, Benjamin, Edward, Edmund). Edmund Rice settled in Sudbury, Mass., in 1638-9.

### Children:

i. LEAVINS RICE, b. April 21, 1798, at Brookfield, Mass.; m. Betsey Wright, dau. of Alphaeus Wright, Dec. 26, 1824. She was b. Dec. 13, 1801. They resided in Detroit, Mich., where he d., Sept. 30, 1835; she d. Nov. 30, 1858. Children:

1. MARIA WRIGHT RICE, b. Jan. 12, 1826; d.

Feb. 24, 1858.

- 2. JAMES RICE, b. Aug. 27, 1827; d. Sept. 1, 1827.
- 3. NANCY MARIA RICE, b. Dec. 26, 1823; m. Stanley Griswold Wright, in 1851; he was a prominent citizen of Detroit, Mich.
- 4. James Lothrop Rice, b. Jan. 26, 1832; a lawyer at Keokuk, Iowa; d. in 1879, bequeathing \$5,000 to his college, Williams.

5. John Leavins Rice, b. June 13, 1835; d. Nov. 7, 1835.

67. Moses Corbin (Moses, James, James, Clement), b. Jan. 17, 1772; m. Polly Cook of Hartford, who was b. June 16, 1780. He was a miller at North Granville, Washington County, N. Y., and d. June 1, 1832. She d. Jan. 31, 1832.

- i. Betsey, b. Oct. 30, 1798; d. Dec. 24, 1882; unm.
- 180. ii. Joseph, b. Aug. 17, 1800; d. Oct. 19, 1888.
  - iii. Roswell, b. May 22, 1802; d. Feb. 14, 1855; no ch.
  - iv. MARY JANE, b. Feb. 26, 1804; d. Oct. 17, 1810.
  - v. Charles Platt, b. June 27, 1806; d. 1888, in San Francisco, Cal.
  - vi. SALLY, b. Aug. 14, 1808; m. Webster T. True, Dec. 9, 1827; d. Aug. 24, 1886.
- 181. vii. Polly, b. May 11, 1811.
  - viii. ABEL, b. Oct. 16, 1814; d. Oct. 31, 1900; unm.
- 182. ix. Moses, b. Nov. 19, 1818; still living.
- 68. ALPHEUS CORBIN (Moses, James, James, Clement), b. Dec. 3, 1781, at Thompson; m. Lucy Prince at Thompson, Feb. 5, 1805 (church records say June 3, 1805) by Rev. Daniel Dow. She was b. in Thompson,

about 1784, dau. of Abel and Lucy (Nichols) Prince. (See "The Genealogy of the Prince Family," by Frank A. Prince of Danielson, Conn.) She d. June 22, 1849. Alpheus Corbin used to operate a gristmill at the present Grosvenordale, Conn.; also colored homespun yarn for families in that vicinity. Lived at or near the place long since occupied by John Coman, northwest of Grosvenordale. He was a captain in the War of 1812 and served at New London. He d. Jan. 28, 1853, in Thompson.

### Children:

- i. CABOLINE, b. May 8, 1806; m. Porter Edwards; d. June, 1894.
- ii. HARRIETT, b. Aug. 21, 1808; m. George Dillaber; one child, George, lived at Pomfret, Conn.
- iii. John Prince, b. Jan. 13, 1812; d. April 20, 1812. iv. John Prince, 2d, b. Aug. 3, 1813; d. Feb. 5, 1815.
- v. Lucy Nichols, b. Nov. 28, 1818; m. —— Chase; res. Ohio.
- vi. EMELINE, b. March 7, 1820; d. at Philadelphia.
- vii. George Alpheus, b. April 28, 1822; d. Aug. 30, 1824.
- viii. EUNICE ANN, b. Sept. 3, 1825; d. at Reading, Pa.
- 69. Rufus Corbin (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. March 12, 1779, at Dudley; m. Hannah Wetherall at Dudley, Nov. 13, 1799. She was b. Nov. 13, 1776, at Dudley. He was a farmer at Dudley; d. there Dec. 16, 1868. She d. Jan. 16, 1851. He married, 2d, Polly (Morse) Mason; she d. in Illinois. No children by second marriage.

#### Children:

i. Rufus E., b. Nov. 22, 1802; d. unm., Aug. 9, 1841, at Dudley.

ii. Ezbond, b. July 17, 1804; d. June 3, 1805.

iii. Mary Ann, b. April 25, 1806; m. Daniel Whiting of Dudley, March 30, 1834; d. May 2 or 22, 1874, at Dudley.

183. iv. Lucian, b. Oct. 20, 1808.

- v. HANNAH, b. March 8, 1811; m. 1st, Willard Albee, 2d, Wm. Thompson; no ch.
- vi. HARRIET, b. April 23, 1813; m. Silas Chase of Dudley; d. May 27, 1894, at Douglas, Mass.; 1 ch., boy.
- vii. ROXALANA, b. Feb. 25, 1816; d. Jan. 11, 1835, at Dudley; unm.
- 70. TIMOTHY CORBIN, JR. (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 1, 1780, at Dudley; m. Ruth Albee at

Dudley, April, 1800. She was b. in 1781. He was a farmer at Dudley, where he d. Sept. 20, 1845. His widow, Ruth, m. Henry Willard. She d. in 1848.

### Children:

i. SALLIE TAFT, b. Aug. 18, 1801; d. unm., Nov. 26, 1876, at Webster, Mass.

184. ii. HIRAM, b. July 1, 1803.

- iii. Julia Ann, b. Aug. 22, 1805; m. 1st, Chester Clemens of Charlton, 2d, Benj. B. Murdock of Webster; no ch.; d. April 27, 1879, at Webster, Mass.
- iv. HARRISON GRAY, b. 1806 or 1807; unm.; went to sea; d. Sept. 19, 1863, at Dudley, killed by fall while shingling a barn.
- 185. v. Benjamin Albee, b. 1809.

186. vi. WILLIAM, b. May 12, 1812.

187. vii. LAMENT BACON, b. Sept. 1, 1813, or 1814.

188. viii. ELBRIDGE, b. 1816.

- ix. Mary Ann, b. 1822; m. John F. Hinds of Sutton or Webster; no ch.; d. July 16, 1883, at Webster.
- 71. ABIGAIL CORBIN (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Aug. 8, 1787; m. Hollis Wood of Dudley, Dec. 18, 1807; he was b. Aug. 13, 1787, and d. Jan. 27, 1865. She d. Aug. 15, 1871. They lived at Webster, Mass.

- i. ALMIRA Wood, b. Sept. 8, 1808; m. 1st, Burr Lincoln of Windham, Conn., Sept. 30, 1827; he was b. Oct. 2, 1804, and d. Aug. 9, 1850. She m. 2d, Oliver Morse of Webster; m. 3d, Otis Thayer of Conn., Oct. 16, 1873. She had 6 ch. by her first husband. Children:
  - 1. WILLIAM E. LINCOLN, b. July 23, 1828; d. June 9, 1833.
  - 2. LEVI J. LINCOLN, b. March 31, 1830; d. 1876; m. Fanny Allen of N. Windham, Conn., and had 5 ch.: Oscar, Cora, Abraham, Pearl, and Edward Lincoln.
  - 3. LUCY ALMIRA LINCOLN, b. Jan. 6, 1832; m. Levi Coleburn. Children:
    - 1. FRED L. COLEBURN, b. 1857, in Webster; m. Stella Brown Howard, in 1885. Ch.; Ernest E. Coleburn, b. 1886, and Blanch Coleburn, b. 1896.
    - 2. ELMER J. COLEBURN, b. 1861; m. Bertha Whitney, in 1884; she was b. in 1866; no ch.; he is an undertaker at Webster.
    - 4. GILES E. LINCOLN, b. 1834; d. 1854; unm.
  - 5. EMELINE LINCOLN, b. Sept. 14, 1836; m. Wm. Austin; no ch.
  - 6. GEORGE W. LINCOLN, b. April 24, 1840; d. June 2, 1844.

- ii. James C. Wood, b. July 5, 1810; m. Charlotte Slocum of Fall River, Mass. They both d. at Newport, R. I. Ch.: Charles, Frank, Angeline, Abbie, and James Wood. James m. his cousin, Francelia Wood, Aug. 20, 1867.
- iii. ABIEL W. WOOD, b. Feb. 7, 1816; m. Laura McFarland. Ch.: Emily, b. Dec. 13, 1842; Ida, b. and d. 1851; Arthur W., b. Sept. 4, 1859.
- iv. Rufus C. Wood, b. May 30, 1818.
- v. John W. Wood, b. Nov. 4, 1821.
- vi. JANE A. WOOD, b. Jan. 15, 1827.
- 72. Samuel Corbin (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 12, 1789; m. Sally Albee of Charlton, July 31, 1814. She was the sister of Ruth Albee, who m. Timothy Corbin, brother of Samuel. Samuel Corbin was buried in the old cemetery at Dudley.

- i. Lucy, b. April 17, 1819; m. 1st, W. H. Hiscock; m. 2d, John Robbins; m. 3d, Lyman Porter. Child of 1st husband:
  - 1. Henry Hiscock, killed in the battle of Antietam Sept. 17, 1862. Children of 2d husband:
  - 2. ELLEN ROBBINS, b. June 7, 1846; m. George S. Keach, Jan. 28, 1866; he was b. June 10, 1826, and d. Aug. 20, 1880; she d. Oct. 28, 1898. Children:
    - 1. GEORGIA KEACH, b. 1866; m. Charles Ross, Sept. 29, 1886; he is a photographer at Webster, Mass. They have four ch.: Mildred I. Ross, b. April 7, 1888; Marion E. Ross, b. May 28, 1893; Hazel J. Ross, b. Oct. 7, 1896; Harold K. Ross, b. March 23, 1899, d. April 5, 1899; and Charles C. Ross, b. June 7, 1900.
    - 2. MINNIE KEACH, b. 1868; d. unm., Dec. 12, 1889.
    - 3. HENRY A. KEACH, b. 1872; m. Hattie Palmer; 3 ch.; live in S. Coventry, Conn.
  - 3. Jennie Robbins, b. June 25, 1849; m. Charles Wheelock, Oct. 5, 1871; he d. in 1893; one ch.. b. 1876, d. 1880.
- 188<sub>4</sub>. ii. Samuel, b. Sept. 17, 1824.
  - iii. Amasa, later history unknown, perhaps the Amasa Corbin of Scituate, R. I., who d. in the army (see list of soldiers in Civil War).
  - iv. Julia, m. Rev. Henry Shippee, and had 2 ch., at Providence.
  - v. Arethusa, b. Dec. 18, 1822; m. Samuel James Brown, Dec. 25, 1843, at Foster, R. I.; he was b. Jan. 12, 1820; d. Jan. 12, 1894; she d. Jan. 18, 1894. Children:
    - 1. PARDON BROWN.
    - 2. CHAUNCEY BROWN.

- 3. SARAH W. BROWN.
- 4. Antinette Brown, m. Henry Angell Walker; d. Dec. 22, 1904. Ch.: Frank Everett, m. Emma Nichols, 2 ch., live at Seattle, Wash., he d.; Edward A. Walker, m. and lives at Stuart, Neb.; Clara Bell Walker, m. Walter Bowling, lives in Neb.; Gilbert Walker, d. in infancy.

5. MARY E. BROWN, b. Jan. 28, 1848; m. Alton H. Robbins, Nov. 24, 1897, at Willimantic, Conn.;

she d. June 27, 1900.

- 6. ALVIN W. BROWN, m. Lottie Coleman; d. Dec. 22, 1899; 3 ch.
- 7. ELLA L. Brown, m. Seth Rodman; 4 ch.; lives in Providence, R. I.
- 8. CARRIE, b. Aug. 3, 1851; m. George Holt; 1 ch.; lives in Mansfield, Conn.
- 9. GRACE I., b. Aug. 6. 1866; m. Charles H. Bradley, Jan. 29, 1886, at Willimantic, Conn.; 1 ch.
- vi. EMILY. m. ——— Randall; 2 ch., Jane and Hattie Randall.
- 73. Lucretia Corbin (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Feb. 4, 1792, at Dudley; m. Jera Mansfield, who was b. at Dudley, Feb. 20, 1790. She d. at Barton, Vt., May 24, 1854.

## Children:

i. Merrick Mansfield, b. March 14, 1815, at Dudley; a son Channing Mansfield of ———, N. H.

ii. VALENTINE MANSFIELD, b. April 8, 1817, at Southbridge; m. Mary Hopkinson, dau. of Col. Noyes Hopkinson of Salem (Derby), Vt., July 25, 1847; he d. June 2, 1899, at Ipswich, Mass.; she d. Feb. 12, 1883, at New York; both buried at Derby Line, Vt. Children:

1. John Worthington Mansfield, b. Sept. 12, 1849, at Norwich, Conn.; m. Helen Gertrude Grant of New York city, June 14, 1882; she was the dau. of James and Mary (Gunning) Grant; 4 ch.; live at Ipswich, Mass.

2. Mary Gertrude Mansfield, b. Sept. 19, 1854, at Chelsea, Mass.

iii. Chloe Ann Mansfield, b. Dec. 3, 1818.

iv. ASHAEL MANSFIELD, b. May 5, 1820, at Southbridge, Mass.; son, E. S. Mansfield, Belgian consul.

v. JERA MANSFIELD, b. Oct. 6, 1823, at Dudley; d. young. vi. JERA MANSFIELD, b. March 14, 1825, at Dudley; son, Walter D. Mansfield, San Francisco.

vii. TIMOTHY MANSFIELD, b. Nov. 10, 1827, at Barton, Vt.

viii. MARY JANE MANSFIELD, b. Aug. 29, 1830, at Barton, Vt.

ix. Daniel Mansfield, b. Feb. 18, 1833, at Barton, Vt.

74. James Corbin (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 2, 1793, at Dudley; m. Mary (Polly) Pope, June 29, 1816, at Dudley. She was b. Sept. 5, 1794, at Dudley, dau. of Joseph and Hepzibah (Robbins) Pope. Joseph Pope was b. Sept. 6, 1771, and his wife Dec. 10, 1769. James Corbin was a highly respected citizen. He died at Webster, Aug. 14, 1880, æ. 86. She died at Webster April 9, 1888.

## Children:

189. i. PALMER MARBLE, b. Sept. 21, 1817.

190. ii. John, b. Nov. 17, 1818.

191. iii. George Washington, b. March 12, 1820.

192. iv. MARIA, b. at Monson, Sept. 6, 1821.

v. Adams Franklin, b. Sept. 3, 1824; d. Feb. 20, 1846, at Sturbridge, Mass.

193. vi. ABIEL WILLIAMS, b. Sept. 1, 1826.

194. vii. CAROLINE, b. July 1, 1828.

viii. Dwight, b. March 24, 1830; d. at sea Nov. 8, 1846.

195. ix. SYLVIA ANN, b. March 7, 1831.

x. Henry Clay, b. Jan. 12, 1832; d. at Webster, Sept. 12, 1860.

196. xi. LAURA ANN, b. Sept. 3, 1834.

197. xii. Monroe Harrison, b. at Southbridge, March 6, 1836.

198. xiii. MARY JANE, b. at Sturbridge, Feb. 17, 1841.

xiv. Horace Wesley, b. at Sturbridge, Jan. 17, 1843; d. at Webster, Oct. 6, 1852.

75. Susan Corbin (Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Aug. 12, 1797; m. Jennison Dodge June 21, 1818, at Dudley. He was b. July 5, 1796, at Charlton, the son of David and Polly (Hayward) Dodge. David Dodge was the son of Moses Tyler, the son of Isaac, the son of Lieut. William, the son of Richard, the son of Richard Dodge. (See Dodge Genealogy.) Jennison Dodge d. in 1872 at N. Grosvenordale, Conn. Susan Dodge d. and was buried at Bay City, Mich., in 1873. They lived from 1818 to 1854 on a farm in Dudley, named "Rocky Hill," and given them by her father, Timothy Corbin.

#### Children:

i. DIANTHA DODGE, b. 1819; m. Isaac Turner Clemens, the son of Asa and Reuhannah (Case) Clemens, in 1839; they removed to Mattowex, Va., but afterwards returned to Dudley, where Diantha d., in 1846. Children:

1. ELMOINE CLEMENS, b. Nov. 1, 1842, at Petersburg, Va.; m. Helen E. Mumyan, widow of Ashel

RAYMOND E. VANSYCKLE, Detroit, Mich.



Aldrich, who was killed June 3, 1864, at Cold Harbor, Va. He settled in Webster, Mass., when 16 years of age, and when the Civil War broke out was one of the first to enlist as a minuteman for ninety days. Afterwards he enlisted in the 15th Mass. Regt., and served through the war as sergeant, being in many famous battles, and was a prisoner in Libby prison for fourteen days, and also at Belle Isle. After the war he was employed in Corbin's shoe factory at Webster for thirty years. He was an excellent singer, and was choir leader in various churches, and musical director of the Nathaniel Lyon Post, G. A. R., to which he belonged. He was also a member of the Webster fire department and of several lodges. For many years he was a newspaper reporter. This wellknown and highly esteemed citizen of Webster d. May 8, 1904. He left a son, Roscoe M. Clemens.

2. SOPHIA DIANTHA CLEMENS, b. Sept. 8, 1844; m. Givens E. Van Syckle, June, 1867; res., Detroit,

Mich. Children:

- 1. RAYMOND E. VAN SYCKLE, b. Aug. 24, 1868, at Bay City, Mich. After graduating from the Bay City High School, Mr. Van Syckle spent six years preparing for his profession at the University of Michigan, graduating from the Literary Department in 1891, and subsequently taking a post-graduate course in that department, and also graduating from the Law Department, receiving the degrees of B.S., M.S., and Mr. Van Syckle has been much interested in educational matters, having served as teacher and principal in the Detroit public schools, and is at present Professor of American History and Constitutional Law at St. Cyrillus and Methodius' College, Detroit. Since 1895 he has been engaged in the practice of law. As a matter of local history, it may be noted that he tried and won the first case tried in the present Wayne County Court House. In Oct., 1902, he was offered the appointment as Department Assistant under the Philippine government, but declined the same. Mr. Van Syckle is prominent in local political matters, having served as delegate to various county and state conventions, and is at present chairman of the Republican committee of his ward. He is a member of the Fellowcraft Club, Sons of the Revolution, University of Michigan Alumni Association, and Michigan Bar Association. He is at present unmarried.
  - 2. MAUD VAN SYCKLE, b. 1873.

3. WARREN CLEMENS, b. Feb., 1846; d. two weeks later.

ii. Lucretia Dodge, b. Sept. 30, 1821; m. Robert Craddock of Petersburg, Va.; 3 ch.: Emma, Mollie, and Edgar.

iii. ABIGAIL DODGE, b. July 7, 1824; m. Isaac Turner Clemens above for his second wife. They removed from Massachusetts to Michigan about 1858, where he was station master for the D. & M. R. R., residing at Bay City, Mich., from 1862 to 1896. He d. Jan. 25, 1898, at Los Angeles, Cal.; buried in the same lot with Susan Corbin at Bay City, Mich. Mrs. Abigail Clemens now resides at Los Angeles, Cal. Children:

1. Lowell Clemens, b. June 6, 1850; res., Los

Angeles.

2. Abbott Clemens, b. June 28, 1855; res., Los Angeles.

3. Anna Clemens, d. young.

iv. John Davis Dodge, b. 1828; d. young.

- JOHN FRANCIS DODGE, b. April 2, 1831; d. 1850.
- vi. MARY ANN DODGE, b. Sept., 1833; m. George Dodge; d. 1859.
- vii. Finette Dodge, b. 1835; m, John Keith, and removed from Mass. to Bay City, Mich. Her mother lived with her from 1861; they removed to Los Angeles, where Finette d., 1902. No ch.
- 76. IRA H. CORBIN (Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 19, 1776, in Thompson, then Killingly, Conn.; m. Sarah Rusco March 31, 1799. She was the dau. of Benjamin and Esther Rusco; Benjamin Rusco d. July 7, 1830, aged 73; Esther, his wife, d. Jan. 11, 1828, aged 81. Sarah Rusco was b. May 31, 1774. Ira H. Corbin and wife were Quakers in religion. They lived at Laurens, Otsego County, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. EMILY, b. Jan. 21, 1800; m. Ezra Hoag, March 9, 1825.
- ii. Mercy Maria, b. March 29, 1801; m. James Carr, Jr., June 23, 1822. Children:

1. IRA J. CARR, m. Hannah Rett Vanderveer. Children:

1. J. HARLOW CARR, m. Annie E. Tabor; resides at Lakemont. Yates Co., N. Y.; has a son, Vanderveer Tabor Carr.

199. iii. Sherman Harlow, b. Dec. 5, 1802.

iv. SALOME, b. March 7, 1805; m. Richard Pettis, Aug. 23, 1826.

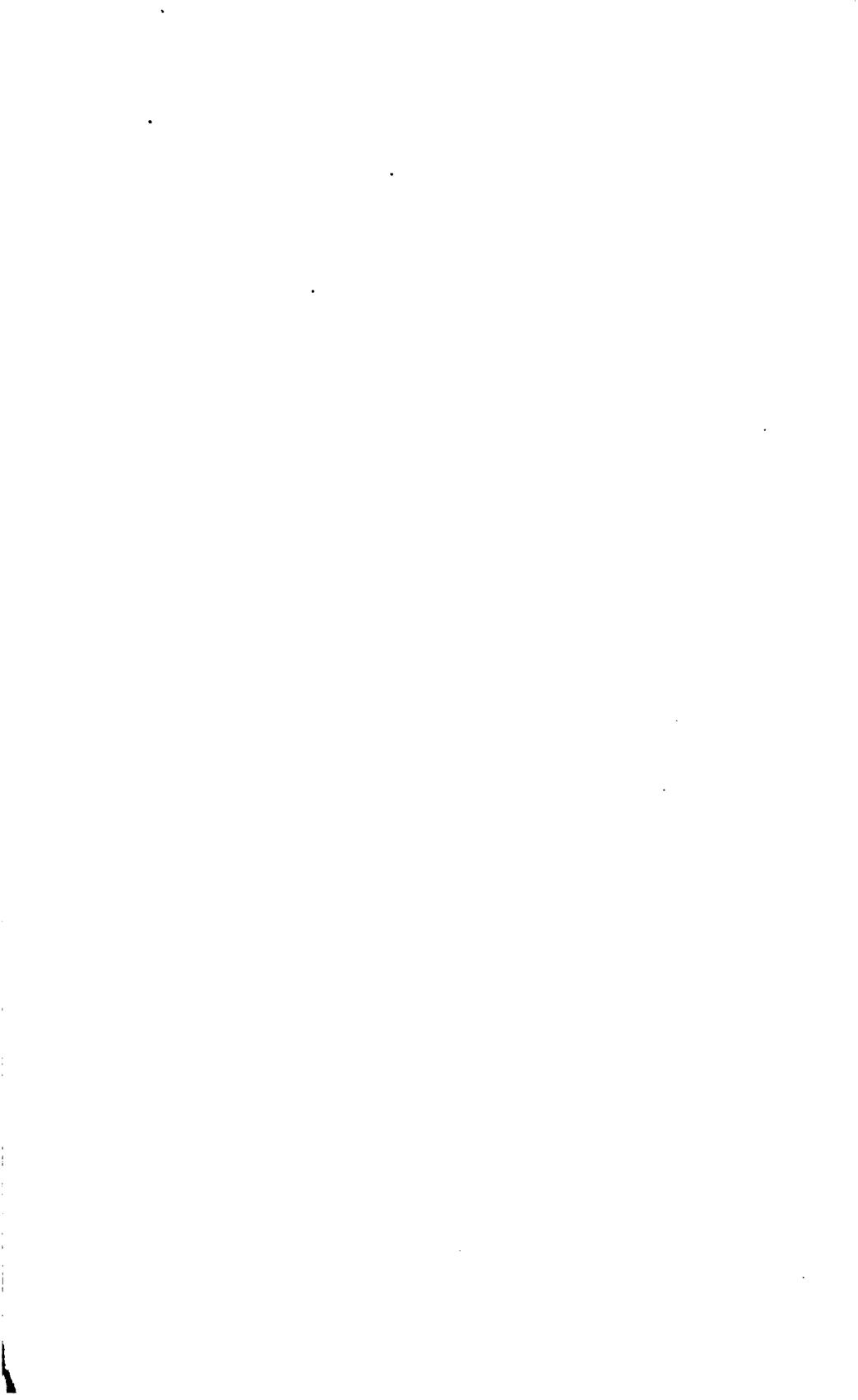
v. SALLY, b. April 4, 1807.

vi. HANNAH, b. June 3, 1809; d. unm. in 1874.

vii. ESTHER, b. Sept. 7, 1811; d. young. viii. JAMES IRA, b. Jan. 30, 1814; d. young.

- ix. ESTHER, 2d, b. Sept. 27, 1817; d. unm., Oct. 20, 1890, at Rural Grove, N. Y.
- 77. Dorcas Corbin (Elkanah, James, James, Clem-

IRA II. AND SARAII R. CORBIN, Laurens, N. Y.



ent), b. Jan. 9, 1780, at Charlestown, N. Y.; m. Daniel Stanton, Feb. 2, 1806; he was b. April 15, 1781. She d. Dec. 12, 1873, in Copenhagen, N. Y. He d. Jan. 26, 1859. His line of ancestry was Daniel, John, Daniel, John, Capt. John, Thomas, who came from England in 1635, and founded Stonington, Conn.

### Children:

i. John Stanton, b. Feb. 13, 1807, at Little Falls, N. Y.; m. Maria Merriman, Sept. 21, 1831; d. in Clayton, N. Y., March 3, 1888. Children:

1. BENJAMIN STANTON, b. Nov. 22, 1835; m. Jane Harris, Sept., 1860; d. Sept. 27, 1895; one ch., Jennie, b. April 22, 1862; m. Martin S. Hungerford, June 26, 1889; they live at Copenhagen, N. V. one ch. Maria b. Sept. 4, 1894

Y.; one ch., Marie, b. Sept. 4, 1894.

2. LUCY STANTON, b. April 22, 1839; m. Meyers Thompson, Feb. 11, 1858; two ch.: Ella, b. July 28, 1861; d. Feb. 26, 1870; and Charles, b. Aug. 25, 1872. Meyers Thompson d. Dec. 15, 1904, at Clayton.

- ii. Freeman Harlow Stanton, b. March 18, 1809, in Deerfield, N. Y.; m. Mary Esslestyn, Jan. 10, 1832; he became a Methodist minister, and was in active service for nearly 50 years, serving some important churches and being presiding elder for three terms, and being delegate to the General Conference in 1856 and 1860. He d. in Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1895. Children:
  - 1. MAURICE STANTON, b. July 11. 1837; m. —— Brown; residence, Watertown, N. Y.
  - 2. JOHN GARDNER STANTON, b. June 10, 1839, in Carbondale, Pa.; m. Mrs. Maria Wilson, April 5, 1879; lives at Brooklyn, N. Y.
  - 3. MARY E. STANTON, b. May 24, 1843, in Binghamton, N. Y.; m. Daniel Davenport, Feb. 12, 1862; resides in Rochester, N. Y.
  - 4. FREEMAN H. STANTON, b. March 4, 1847, in Fairfield, N. Y.; d. Nov. 6, 1861, in Syracuse.
  - 5. HANNAH LOUISE STANTON, b. Jan. 4, 1850, in Camden, N. Y.; m. George H. Morse, Sept. 2, 1874; live in Cazenovia, N. Y.
  - 6. CHARLES S. STANTON, b. April 16, 1853, in Watertown, N. Y.; lives in Cal.

iii. ELIJAH, b. May 29, 1811, in Russia, N. Y.; m. 1st, MARGURETTE CRUIKSHANK, Oct. 19, 1834; she d. Aug., 1837; m. 2d, Nancy, sister of 1st wife, Dec. 1, 1839; she d. Feb. 21, 1871; m. 3d, Augusta Gilchrist, who d. in 1886, in Manlius, N. Y.; m. 4th, Carrie Hinsdale of Manlius, N. Y., now living; he d. June, 1897, in Oswego, N. Y., while attending the Episcopal Convocation in that city; one child, Belle, b. Jan. 25, 1874, lives at Manlius, N. Y., with her mother.

iv. LYMAN STANTON, b. July 21, 1814, in Russia, N. Y.; m. Jemima Topping, Oct. 16, 1836; she was b. Nov. 11, 1814, in Schoharie Co., N. Y., and d. July 4, 1844. He m. 2d, Emily Cottrell, Dec. 24, 1844. He was a physician, and d. Nov. 24, 1870, at Copenhagen, N. Y. Children:

1. ELIZA VIRGINIA STANTON, b. Oct. 2, 1842, in

Copenhagen, N. Y., m. A. W. Merrill, M.D.

2. GEORGE DANIEL STANTON, b. Sept., 1837, in Rutland, N. Y.; m. Adelia Corbin; d. in Fond du Lac, Wis.

- 3. EMMA B. STANTON, m. Hon. C. A. Chickering of Copenhagen, who d. Feb. 13, 1900, in New York.
- 4. Sanford Elijah Stanton, b. Sept. 30, 1852, in Copenhagen; m. Grace Hunt Davenport, July 14, 1885; they live at Watertown, N. Y.; no ch.
- v. Louisa Stanton, b. Oct. 16, 1818, in Russia, N. Y.; m. Benjamin Merriman, Feb. 12, 1837; d. Feb. 13, 1887, at Copenhagen. Children:
  - 1. Morris Merriman, b. 1840; m. three times.
  - 2. ARMINA MERRIMAN, unm.; lives in Watertown, N. Y.
- 3. ALICE MERRIMAN, m. Eugene C. Hurd; 2 dau. vi. Susan Stanton, b. July 29, 1825, in Russia, N. Y.; m. Dr. Ebenezer Allen, Nov. 16, 1843; she lives at Copenhagen, N. Y. He d. Feb. 29, 1896. Children:

1. ALBERT D. ALLEN, b. Sept. 29, 1848; m. Ella

Northam of Port Leyden, N. Y., May 2, 1862.

2. WILLIAM JAY ALLYN, b. May 10, 1852; m. 1st. Mary C. Clements, March 4, 1879; she d. Aug. 3, 1885. He m. 2d. Mary E. McGovern, April 28, 1891. He was educated at Colgate University, class of '79; engaged in teaching several years, and is now Staff Instructor of the I. O. O. F., working in the U. S. and Canada and residing at Lowville, N. Y. He has adopted the spelling Allyn, as being the original form. Children:

1. MARION SUSAN ALLYN, b. Nov. 24, 1879;

m. Dr. L. W. King, Sept. 12, 1901.

- 2. Edna Emily Allyn, b. June 29, 1881.
- 3. FREEMAN EBENEZER ALLYN, b. March 4, 1883.
- 3. JOHN EBENEZER ALLEN, b. 1856; m. Lida. Young.
- 4. ELIZA BERINTHA ALLEN, b. Jan. 6, 1861; d. Nov. 26, 1861.
- 5. FREEMAN HARLOW ALLEN, b. Oct. 22, 1862; m. Rose L. Priest of Potsdam, N. Y., June 26, 1890; he is Professor of Mathematics in the State Normal School of Potsdam; one child.
- 6. ELIJAH STANTON ALLEN, b. Sept. 29, 1863; m. Ruth Roberts of Martinsburg. N. Y.
- 7. IRVING FRED ALLEN, b. May 24, 1869; d. Sept. 3, 1869.
- 78. ELKANAH CORBIN, JR. (Elkanah, James, James,

WILLIAM JAY ALLYN, Lowville, N. Y.



Clement), b. May 12, 1784, in Charlestown, N. Y.; m. Lucy Clark, sister of Seth Clark, who m. Asenath Corbin in 1806.

He lived in Cooperstown, Russia, and in what is now Clayton, N. Y. He was an earnest Methodist, and the first M. E. church north of Black River, N. Y., was formed in his house. He d. June 17, 1865; she d. in 1863, both at Clayton.

## Children:

200. i. Alanson Clark, b. July 16, 1807.

201. ii. SIMEON JAMES, b. Feb. 11, 1809.

202. iii. IRA HAMIIN, b. Sept. 1, 1812.

iv. Melzar Dempster, b. Jan. 12, 1823; d. Oct. 9, 1838,

in Clayton, N. Y.

v. In Dec., 1832, Elkanah and Lucy Corbin adopted the son of Rev. James Irving (deceased), by the name of James Irving Corbin. He m. Angeline Henry of Clayton, N. Y., and located at Saginaw, Mich., where they d., leaving a son and dau., named Corbin.

79. ABIGAIL CORBIN (Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Feb. 3, 1789; m. Nathaniel Harris, Oct. 30, 1821; both d. at Bainbridge, Mich.

### Children:

i. Henry Lyman Harris, b. July 18, 1822, in Clayton, N. Y.; m. Mrs. Bethany Vincent Barrows, March 9, 1848, at Bainbridge, Mich.; she was b. May 12, 1812. Both d. in Benton Harbor, Mich., where lives their only child, Mary Jane, b. May 23, 1851.

ii. Elkanah Corbin Harris, b. July 28, 1825, in Clayton; m. 1st, Adaline Spink of Clayton, N. Y.; m. a second time and had one child, who d.; m. 3d, Harriet Clark, in 1864, at Coloma, Mich. Children:

1. Melzar Corbin Harris, lives at Benton Harbor, Mich.

2. ELIZA HARRIS, m. W. M. Clark; lives at Bendon, Mich.

3. YORAN CELIA HARRIS, b. Feb. 2, 1865; m. John Hess, April 15, 1887, in Coloma, Mich.; resides at Benton Harbor, Mich.

4. Melissa Harris, b. 1870; lives in Coloma, Mich.

5. DANIEL HARRIS, b. 1876; lives in Bendon, Mich.

6. ELY HARRIS, d.

7. Joseph, d

HANNAH MARIA HARRIS, b. April 30, 1827; d. June iii. 11, 1832, at Clayton.

ASENATH HARRIS, b. May 29, 1830; d. Sept. 26, 1830, iv. at Clayton.

ASENATH CORBIN (Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. in 1790; m. Seth Clark; d. Aug., 1854, in Watertown, N. Y.

## Children:

i. ABIGAIL CLARK, m. Stephen Russell in Clayton, N. Y. Ch.: George, Lyman (lives in Lansing, Mich.), Charles, Philo, and Fred Russell.

ii. BETSEY CLARK, m. John Vincent in Clayton, N. Y. Ch.: Jane, Wesley, Sherman, Mary, and Marvin

Vincent (lives in Benton Harbor, Mich.).

iii. Susan Clark, m. Horace Bowe in Clayton. Ch.: Harriet (m. Charles Hamblin of E. Watertown, N. Y.), Asenath (m. A. B. Taft, Aug. 28, 1854; live at Watervliet, Mich.), Seth (Oskosh, Wis.), Julia (m. James Munn), Gilbert, and Prosper O. Bowe

(of Watervliet, Mich.).

- LEMUEL CLARK, b. May 28, 1814; m. 1st, Harriet iv. Putnam of Clayton, N. Y.; m. 2d, Diana Randal of Rutland, N. Y. He became a Methodist minister, a member of the Black River Conference, and preached for 33 years; this faithful effective minister d. at Melrose, Mass., June 1, 1897. Ch.: Philo (Clayton, N. Y.), Lucy (m. Hawes of S. Dakota), Dr. Seth Corbin Clark (of Boston, Mass.), and Florence Clark (m. Charles Potts, Sandy Creek, N. Y.).
- LUCY CLARK, m. Houghton Allen in Clayton. Ch.: v. Dimmis Allen, m. Charles Frye of Clayton; 3 others.
- Dorcas Clark, m. Sterling Edwards of Watertown, vi. N. Y.; lived in Canada, West.
- CHANDLER CLARK, m. and d., leaving a son Edward. vii.

Philip Corbin (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 13, 1764, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Rhoby Healy of Dudley, Nov. 26, 1789.

He moved from Dudley to Union in 1793 and settled in the southern part of town. He was a man of more than ordinary powers of body and mind, which, guided by stern integrity, gave him an influence largely felt wherever he went. He was a farmer, owning a large tract of land. He used to manufacture potash in considerable quantities, which he sold in Norwich. He was selectman a number of years, and represented the town in legislature in 1814

HOMESTEAD OF PHILIP CORBIN AND HEALY CORBIN ALL Union, Conn.



and 1815. He was a prominent and influential member of the church at Union, and one of the building committee of the present meeting-house.

He d. May 2, 1845, æ. 80. His wife d. June 15, 1840, æ. 72. His homestead, built in 1797-8, is shown in the cut.

## Children:

203. i. SAMUEL, b. at Dudley, Feb. 11, 1792.

204. ii. Polly, b. at Union, May 28, 1795.

205. iii. Philip, b. April 4, 1797.

206. iv. Healy, b. June 8, 1799. v. Augustus, b. Sept. 18, 1801; m. Pamelia Preston;

lived in Willington, Conn. Ch.: Clara, Sarah, Silas (lived in Ohio), Mary, and Persis (drowned).

207. vi. Hermon, b. May 20, 1806.

82. Dolly Corbin (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 3, 1767; m. Maj. Lemuel Healy Jan. 7, 1790; he was b. Dec. 26, 1759, at Dudley. He was a farmer, a valuable citizen, honored by his townsmen with many offices; he was a soldier in the Revolution and, later, major of the militia; was town treasurer, selectman, etc. He d. Sept. 11, 1837. She d. March 24, 1843.

## Children:

i. Lemuel Healy, b. April 24, 1791; d. May 27, 1792. ii. Lemuel Healy, 2d, b. Nov. 24, 1792; m. 1st, Sylvia Conant, Dec. 4, 1817; 2d, Eliza Warden, Sept., 1830. Capt. Lemuel Healy was a man of good natural talents, well educated, a school teacher, good singer, chorister of the Congregational Church, captain of the militia, town clerk, assessor, selectman many years, in old age helped fill town's quota in Civil War. He d. Sept. 2, 1866; 5 ch. His dau. Dolly m. Hervey Conant; their son Hezekiah Conant, b. July 28, 1827, was a manufacturer at Pawtucket and a great benefactor of his native town of Dudley.

iii. SERAPH HEALY, b. Nov. 7, 1794; d. unm., April 16, 1870.

iv. Dolly Healy, b. Dec. 15, 1796; m. Capt Harvey Conant, May 13, 1819; lived at Dudley. He d. May 21, 1868; she d. May 22, 1845; 7 ch.

v. Sylvia Healy, b. Jan. 4, 1799; m. Benjamin Leavins, May 13, 1819; lived at Dudley and Boston; 6 ch.

vi. Lucy Healy, b. April 14, 1801; m. George Waters, May 11, 1820; she d. March 24, 1874; 8 ch.

vii. Davis Healy, b. Nov. 30, 1807; m. Zerviah Williams, Jan. 16, 1833; lived at Dudley; he d. Aug. 22, 1863; 9 ch.

83. Lemuel Corbin, Jr. (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 9, 1769; m. Judith Bush, Aug. 20 (?), 1796; she was b. Nov. 11, 1775; lived at Dudley. He was a farmer of good standing in Dudley, quiet, unassuming, and industrious; of a kindly disposition and helpful to the poor; a good neighbor, upright in his dealings. He d. Jan. 19, 1848. She d. May 25, 1868.

### Children:

- i. LUTHER B., b. Nov. 17, 1797; d. unm., June 31, 1856.
- ii. Ormacinda, b. March 4, 1800; d. Nov. 2, 1822.
- iii. REBECCA, b. June 22, 1802; d. Jan. 1, 1823.
- iv. ELIZA, b. June 22, 1805; m. John E. Love, April 2, 1824; lived at Dudley; she d. Sept. 1, 1875; no ch.
- 84. Rebecca Corbin (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 24, 1772; m. Hezekiah Healy of Dudley, Nov. 14, 1798; he was b. Oct. 8, 1766. He was an ingenious mechanic, a cabinet-maker by trade, invented the "fly shuttle," largely used before power looms became common; he traveled through the country selling looms and shuttles; set up the first power loom used by Slater at Webster. He d. Dec. 28, 1817. She d. June 4, 1845.

#### Children:

- i. REBECCA HEALY, b. April 25, 1804; m. Albigence W. Williams, Dec. 10, 1829; he was b. May 15, 1806, and d. Sept. 1, 1875; they lived at Dudley; 5 ch.
- ii. HEZEKIAH HEALY, b. Nov. 3, 1809; accidentally shot and d., May 28, 1821.
- iii. CLARINDA HEALY, b. July 20, 1812; m. Warren Goodell, June 15, 1836; lived at Dudley; 5 ch.
- 85. Josiah Corbin (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 24, 1778; m. Chloe Keith, Jan. 17, 1802; lived at Dudley; a farmer, for a time interested in manufacturing in Willington. He d. Dec. 29, 1857, æ. 79. She d. Dec. 9, 1857, æ. 77.

- i. SARAH, b. Feb. 10, 1805; m. Abel Learned, Oct. 27, 1830. Ch.:
  - 1. Susannah Learned, b. May 14, 1832; d. unm.
  - 2. SARAH JANE LEARNED, b. Jan. 5, 1834; m. Hamilton Ballard; res., Indianapolis.

- 3. ELIZABETH LEARNED, b. Sept. 17, 1835; d. unm.
  - 4. ABBY F. LEARNED, b. Dec. 1, 1837.
- 5. HEZEKIAH C. LEARNED, b. Nov. 16, 1839; a machinist at Worcester.
- ii. Josiah, b. April 30, 1807; d. April 19, 1808.
- iii. John, b. Feb. 17, 1809; d. Aug. 22, 1811.
- iv. Dolly, b. Dec. 27, 1811; m. Thompson Slead, April, 1836; lived at Ashford; she d. Aug. 24, 1844; 2 ch.
- 208. v. SYLVIA, b. Sept. 24, 1817.
  - vi. CAROLINE, b. May 9, 1821; m. A. W. Penniman, Sept. 5, 1842; lived at Dudley; she d. July 6, 1904. Children:
    - 1. Russell S. Penniman, in business at San Francisco.
    - 2. A. W. PENNIMAN, a physician at Philadelphia.
- 86. SYLVIA CORBIN (Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 31, 1781 (or 1782); m. William Walker, May 28, 1806; settled at Ashford, Conn., but removed to Woodstock. She d. May 23, 1854.

### Children:

- i. WILLIAM C. WALKER, b. Sept. 11, 1810; m. Eliza Quint, Dec. 28, 1832; lived at Dudley; ch.
- ii. Lemuel Walker, b. Aug. 12, 1812; m. Nabby Blanchard, April 2, 1835; settled at Vestal, N. Y.; he d. Feb. 8, 1876; ch.
- iii. SYLVIA H. WALKER, b. Dec. 25, 1814; m. Cyprian Whiting, Aug. 1, 1838; settled at Southbridge, Mass.; 4 ch.
- iv. Francis Walker, b. March 1, 1817; m. Adaline Kelley, Jan. 1, 1839; settled at Charlton, Mass.; he d. Jan. 21, 1872.
- v. Abner C. Walker, b. Oct. 12, 1819; m. Harriet M. Sibley, April 12, 1846; res., Dudley; 7 ch.
- 87. Capt. Thomas Corbin (John, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 11, 1771; m., in 1800, Elizabeth Easterbrooks, dau. of Oliver and Mary (Cole) Easterbrooks, who came to Woodstock from Warren, R. I. He lived near West Woodstock and had a pew in the Congregational Church there. He d. Sept. 23, 1833; she d. Sept. 21, 1833; both at W. Woodstock.

## Children b. at Woodstock:

- i. John, b. Jan. 12, 1801; d. young.
- ii. HANNAH, b. April 22, 1803; d. young.

- iii. MARY, b. May 7, 1805; m. Charles Williams, in Dudley; adopted 2 ch. She d. July 21, 1872.
- iv. ZERA, b. Dec. 15, 1807; committed suicide, Sept. 24, 1869.
- v. SABAH COLE, b. March 10, 1810; d. May 11, 1844.

209. vi. Thomas E., b. Dec. 1, 1811.

- vii. Anna, b. Oct. 21, 1813; m. Abiel D. Williams, Jr., of Southbridge, April 30, 1844. They lived at Dudley. She d. Aug. 22, 1888. Four ch. d. in infancy, and one, Abiel Abbott Williams, b. July 4, 1851, d. May 20, 1899.
- 88. Capt. Solomon Corbin (John, Philip, James, Clement), b. 1777; m. Nancy ———. He lived in the western part of Woodstock, where Wm. Alderman recently resided. He d. June 20, 1814, aged 37. She d. Jan. 23, 1838.

#### Children:

i. Olcott, b. Aug. 14, 1804.

- ii. Alma, b. March 12, 1806; m. Nathaniel Jones, April 24, 1831. A son, Samuel Jones, lived in Rockford, Ill.
- iii. Andros, b. Oct. 26, 1807; unm.; went to New York, thence to Rockford, Ill., where he became wealthy, and d.
- iv. JARED, b. May 29, 1809; m. Sophia Howard, Oct. 3, 1836; he was a carpenter at W. Woodstock, where he d., Dec. 14, 1864. She d. June 18, 1880, æ. 70. Children:
  - 1. GEORGE HENRY; he enlisted in the 7th Regt., Conn. Inf., in 1861, and was killed June 16, 1862, at James Island, S. C.
  - 2. Lizzie, m. N. D. Skinner of N. Woodstock; d. in 1875; one son, Geo. S. Skinner.

3. Lewis P., b. April 15, 1850; d. young.

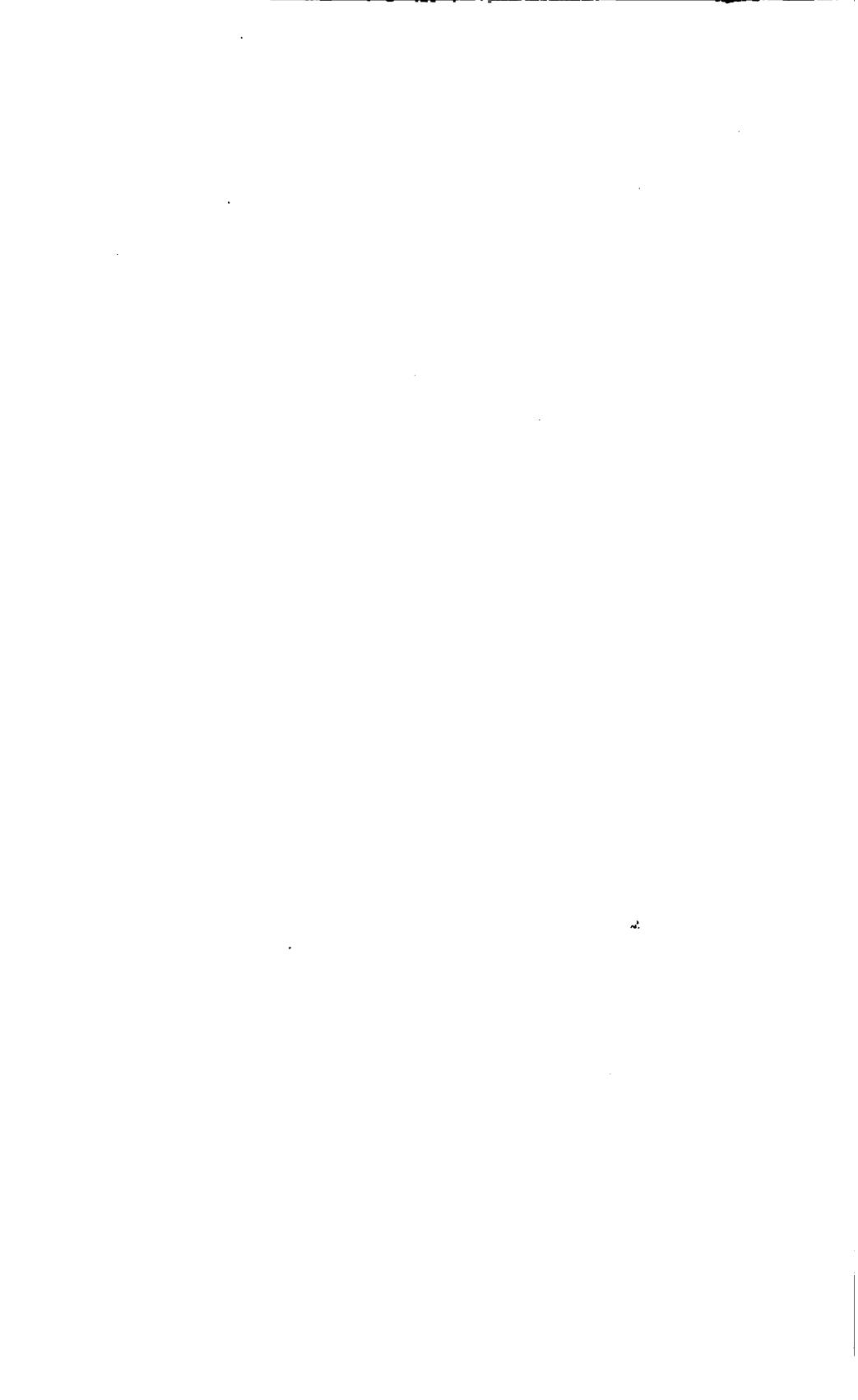
- v. Lewis, b. Jan. 26, 1811; d. unm., in W. Woodstock.
- vi. Eliza, b. June 20 or 30, 1812; m. Parker B. Pinnock, Nov. 9, 1835; she d. June, 1838.
- vii. Esther, b. Sept. 26, 1813.
- 89. JOHN CORBIN (John, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 2, 1779; m. Prudence Allen Nov. 2, 1798, in Woodstock; lived at first in Woodstock and Thompson, then moved to Smithville, N. Y.

### Children:

210. i. Joseph. b. Oct. 21, 1799, at Thompson.

ii. Peley, b. Nov. 14, 1800.

211. iii. John, b. June 11, 1804, at Thompson.



DEA. PENUEL CORBIN, SR., Woodstock, Conn.

MRS. HANNAH HOWARD CORBIN, Wife of Des. Pennel Corbin, Br., Woodstock, Conn.

90. Penuel Corbin (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 20, 1772, in Woodstock; m. Hannah Howard (or Hayward), dau. of John and Rebecca (Peake) Howard, of the town of Eastford, Conn., Nov. 26, 1795. She was b. Feb. 17, 1773.

He lived in the western part of Woodstock, and was a farmer. He was a prominent member and deacon (for 43 years) of the Baptist Church at W. Woodstock and was very diligent in attending, even in his old age, often walking the four miles to the church. During the sixty-five years of his membership there it was computed he traveled 26,960 miles, more than once around the world. There is an example for the present generation. The term "Pillar in the Church of God" might be most appropriately applied to him. He d. Dec. 18, 1858, æ. 86. Hannah Corbin d. July 28, 1854, æ. 81. Both are buried in the Baptist cemetery at W. Woodstock.

## Children:

212. i. EUNICE, b. Sept. 12, 1797.

213. ii. LATHROP, b. April 23, 1799.

214. iii. HENRY HOWARD, b. Nov. 16, 1800.

215. iv. PENUEL, Jr., b. Aug. 12, 1802.

v. PLINY, b. Nov. 29, 1805; m. Sarah Ford and settled in Armada, Mich., where he had four daughters: Sophronia Abigail, Hannah Calista, Sarah Lucretia, and Eunice Cordelia; they also adopted a boy. Sophronia m. William Mellen; no ch. Hannah m. Edward Ford, and went to Nebraska. Sarah also m. and moved West. Pliny Corbin d. at Armada; all the family are dead.

vi. HANNAH, b. Jan. 14, 1808; d. Oct. 13, 1809.

216. vii. Hannah, 2d, b. Sept. 5, 1899.

viii. Lucius, b. Oct. 26, 1811; d. July 30, 1814.

91. Joseph Perrin Corbin (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 2, 1773, in Woodstock; m., 1st, Lavinia Crawford, dau. of Dea. Samuel and Sarah (Work) Crawford of Union. She d. Feb. 4, 1796, leaving one child, and was buried at Union. He m., 2d, Mary or Polly Hayward or Howard, March 21, 1799. She was the dau. of David and Priscilla (Knowlton) Howard, and was b. March 21, 1778. David Howard was the second son of John Howard of Ashford, and was born April 28, 1743. He m. Priscilla Knowlton June 7, 1764. She was a sister of Col. Thomas Knowlton, of Revolutionary fame,

a gallant officer at Bunker Hill and who was killed near New York.

Joseph Perrin Corbin lived in Woodstock until about 1815, when he moved to Henrietta, near Rochester, Monroe County, western N. Y., where he lived on a farm. Thence he moved to Michigan, and settled on a farm near Armada, where he lived until his death. He d. at Mt. Clemens, Mich., Sept. 24, 1848. Mary H. Corbin d. Sept. 3, 1848. All the children were b. in Woodstock except the last two, who were b. in Henrietta.

#### Child of first wife:

217. i. LAVINIA, b. Jan. 10, 1796.

## Children of second wife:

ii. Joanna, b. Jan. 22, 1800; m. —— Tenney; she d. Dec., 1848, in Macomb Co., Mich. Ch.: Zenas, Adaline, Mervin, Mary, Lucy, and Melvina Tenney.

218. iii. Mary or Polly, b. March 4, 1803.

iv. Zerviah, b. May 3, 1805; m. Edward Dunham; she d. April 21, 1865, in Armada, Mich. Ch.: Marcus, William, Helen, Mary, Delos, and Marcia Dunham.

219. v. Sanford Holmes, b. Sept. 13, 1807.

220. vi. Almon David, b. April 22, 1810. 221. vii. William Beston, b. June 1, 1814.

222. viii. MARCIA PRISCILLA, b. March 31, 1816.

223. ix. Joseph Ingoldsby, b. June 13, 1820.

92. Betsey Corbin (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 13, 1775, at Woodstock; m. Henry Corbin (Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement). They lived at Woodstock, where the children's births are recorded, but afterwards moved to western New York.

- i. Zenas, b. Dec. 16, 1797.
- ii. Polly, b. Oct. 28, 1799.
- iii. EMILY, b. Feb. 5, 1800.
- iv. Moses, b. Feb. 18, 1804.
- v. DOLLY, b. Aug. 19, 1806. vi. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 11, 1809.
- vii. TRIPHENA.
- 93. DOROTHY CORBIN (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 5, 1777; m. Manasseh Howard of Union, the son of John Howard or Hayward. His first wife was Lucy Work, and some of the earlier children may be hers.

### Children:

i. EZRA HOWARD, res. Rochester, N. Y.

ii. ESTHER HOWARD, m. Elijah Wood of Mansfield, Conn.

iii. ELEAZAB HOWARD, m. — Wood; res. Ill.

iv. Lucy Howard, m. Reuben Preston of Eastford, Conn.

v. Polly Howard, m. Joseph Marcy.

vi. SALLY HOWARD, m. Parley Walker, June 5, 1825.

vii. Anna Howard, m. Ezra Sheldon.

viii. John Howard, m. Lydia Bugbee; res. Union, Conn.; d. Oct., 1873; son, Danforth Howard, lives at N. Ashford, Conn.

ix. Augustus Howard, res. N. Y.

x. Louisa Howard, d. Jan. 12, 1844.

- xi. WILLIAM HOWARD, m. Miranda Houghton; res. Hardwick, Mass.
- xii. CLINTON HOWARD, m. Lucretia Jackson; res. Hard-wick, Mass.
- 94. WINTHROP CORBIN (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 25, 1778 (family records) or Dec. 24, 1779 (town records); m. Roxanna Warren; moved to western New York. The family has been lost sight of.

#### Children:

- i. EUNICE.
- ii. Avis.
- iii. Ora.
- iv. John.
- y. ISAAC.
- 95: William Corbin (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 9, 1781, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. Mercy Howard Nov. 28, 1805; she was the dau. of John and Rebecca (Peake) Howard or Hayward, and sister of Hannah Howard, who m. Penuel Corbin, cousin of William, and she was cousin of Polly Howard, wife of Joseph P. Corbin. The first two children were b. in Woodstock, but the family removed soon after to E. Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., where the others were b., and where William Corbin d. April 19, 1846; Mercy, his wife, d. Sept. 15, 1850.

### Children:

224. i. Horatio, b. Aug. 16 (or 27), 1806.

ii. ESTHER, b. Jan. 12, 1808; m. Henry Stevenson, who was b. June 13, 1792, in Sussex, Eng.; they lived at Pittsford. N. Y., where she d. June 26, 1898; he d. Oct. 11, 1868. Children:

- 1. EMELINE ELIZABETH STEVENSON, b. June 5, 1842; m. ——, June 5, 1862; d. March 28, 1865.
- 2. CARRIE ELIZA STEVENSON, b. July 24, 1845; m. John Van Norman, Feb. 5, 1865.

3. Martha Marilla Stevenson, b. July 9,

1847; m. Joseph Saile, March 1, 1866.

- 4. ELLEN CAMILLA STEVENSON, b. May 25, 1849; m. Merritt P. Tobey, Jan. 20, 1869; two sons, Milton and Burton Tobey; res., Pittsford, N. Y.
  - 5. HENRY J. STEVENSON, b. Jan. 25, 1854.

iii. ELIZA, b. Feb. 8, 1811; d. Oct. 18, 1829.

225. iv. Howard, b. May 1, 1813.

v. Pamelia, b. Dec. 15, 1816; d. Nov. 10, 1822.

vi. HANNAH EMELINE, b. Aug. 20, 1818; m. Huron Beckwith of Brighton, N. Y. They lived in Wisconsin; he d. She now lives at 851 Jackson St., Oakland, Cal. Children:

1. EMELINE BECKWITH, m. — Day; d.

- 2. AMELIA BECKWITH, m. Clark; res. Oakland.
- 3. JENNIE BECKWITH, m. ——— Jeffrys; res. Oakland.
  - 4. MILTON BECKWITH, Fresno, Cal.
  - 5. CHARLES BECKWITH, Lompoc, Cal.

Mrs. Beckwith has written several little poems of considerable merit, of which the following is one:

#### GROWING OLD.

You are growing old, they tell us,
Every year;
You are more alone, they tell us,
Every year;
You can win no new affection,
You have only recollection,
Deeper sorrow and dejection,
Every year.

There come new cares and sorrows
• Every year;

Darker days and darker sorrows

Every year:
The ghosts of dead loves haunt us.
The ghosts of changed friends taunt us,
And disappointments daunt us,
Every year.

But the truer life draws nigher

Every year,

And its morning star climbs higher

Every year;

Earth's hold on us grows the slighter,

And the heavy burden lighter,

And the dawn immortal brighter, Every year.

vii. Marilla, b. April 21, 1820; m. 1st, James Gaskin of Pittsford, N. Y.; they had 2 ch., who d. young;

she m. 2d, Holly Goyer of Armada, Mich., where they lived many years, and had one ch., who d. young.

viii. ELVIRA, b. Nov. 16, 1824; m. Louis Dwight Hobart, Dec. 28, 1849, at Oak Creek, Wis. She d. at Alma Center, Wis., Oct. 30, 1882. Children:

- 1. ALMIRA ISABELLA HOBART, b. Feb. 13, 1851, at Oak Creek, Wis.; graduated from Ripon College, Wis., in 1874. She taught in the Wisconsin School for the Blind at Janesville for nearly ten years, and since then in the State School for the Deaf at Delevan, Wis. She was in Europe during the summer of 1891.
- 2. HENRIETTA MARIA HOBART, b. Aug. 12, 1852, at Oak Creek, Wis.; m. J. K. Wilson, June 4, 1884; lives at Ashton, S. Dakota.

3. Cassius Martin Hobart, b. Aug. 21, 1857, at Ripon, Wis. He is a newspaper man, living

at present at Hunchinson, Minn.

4. LEWIS RANDALL HOBART, b. Jan. 2, 1861, at Auroraville, Wis. He is in the poultry business at Lake Crystal, Minn.

96. ABEL CORBIN (William, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 13 (or 14), 1789, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. Huldah Keyes of Henrietta, N. Y.; she was b. Dec. 14, 1789, at Woodstock. He was a minute man in the War of 1812. He removed to Armada, Mich., where he d. Feb. 6, 1862.

### Children:

226. i. John S., b. Nov. 18, 1817.

ii. WHITMAN, b. May 17, 1821; m. ———; d. Sept. 16, 1854, at Armada, Mich. Children:

1. Francis J., b. Oct. 24, 1852, at Armada; m. Rowland R. Haight, April 28, 1868; lives at Stirling, Mich. Children:

1. JANE E. HAIGHT, b. Dec. 9, 1870; m. Wil-

liam Kneebone, April 6, 1897.

- 2. MARY M. HAIGHT, b. March 28, 1878; m. Arthur Decker, March 20, 1897.
  - 3. SEPTER M. HAIGHT, b. Sept. 13, 1885.

4. RAY S. HAIGHT, b. Aug. 20, 1887.

5. WILLIAM N. HAIGHT, b. June 26, 1889;

2. Adelaide, d. in infancy.

iii. ELIZABETH P., b. July 18, 1836; d. in Richmond,
Macomb Co., Mich., April, 1874.
Three other children d. in infancy.

97. JEDEDIAH CORBIN, JR. (Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. at Dudley, Nov. 18, 1780, at Dudley; m. Hannah Rich of Charlton, June 1, 1830. He settled in Charlton and removed to Oxford in 1837, but returned in

a few years to Charlton, where he d. Dec. 2, 1840. d. Sept. 18, 1853.

### Children:

ARTEMAS H., b. Jan. 24, 1831.

228. ii. CALVIN R., b. Feb. 12, 1833.

- CLARISSA L., b. May 18, 1836; m. Daniel Rowland, Sept. 18, 1855; he d.; she m. 2d, Simon P. Mc-Intyre, Oct. 5, 1881, who is also dead. She resides at Chicago, Ill.
- Dexter Corbin (Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. at Dudley, Mass., Feb. 14, 1784; m. Cynthia Rich June, 1816. She was b. at Auburn, Mass., Dec. 23, 1793, and d. at Oxford May 23, 1868. He d. Sept. 30, 1843. They lived mostly at Charlton, Mass.

#### Children:

CATHERINE, b. May 5, 1817; lives at Spencer, Mass.

**229**. CALISTA, b. July 25, 1819. ii.

ARTHUR DAGGET, b. Sept. 25, 1822; d. Sept., 1846.

230. iv. ALMIRA DAVIS, b. May 11, 1825.

231. SCHUYLER DEXTER, b. Jan. 25, 1828.

SARAH OF SALLY CORBIN (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1782, at Dudley; m. Calvin Vinton of Dudley. Lived and d. in Charlton, Mass.

### Children:

JOSHUA VINTON, m. Ruth Goodell of Charlton.

RHODY VINTON, m. Jacob Warren.

iii. CALVIN VINTON, m. ——— Butterworth; d. in West; ch.

SARAH VINTON, d. unm. iv.

PHEBE VINTON, m. — Warren. v.

- SALEM VINTON, lives in Dudley. VÌ.
- 100. CYNTHIA CORBIN (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Oct. 26, 1783; m. Nathan Sly of Dudley Nov. 29, She d. Sept. 28, 1861, in Webster.

### Children:

i. Calista Sly, b. Aug. 14, 1812; m. 1st, Sylvester Larned; m. 2d, Brigham Converse of Worcester.

ii. CYNTHIA SLY, b. Dec., 1813; d. April 1, 1836.

- iii.
- WILLIAM SLY, b. ——; m. —— Hannon; son. Celia Sly, b. ——; m. Thomas Thornton; had iv. several ch.; drowned with her ch. while on her way to join her husband in California.

- v. MATILDA SLY, b. June, 1822; m. Abiel Converse of Thompson, a lawyer; 5 ch.; reside in Thompson.
- vi. MERRICK SLY, m. 1st, ——; m. 2d, Mary Ann Fowle; he is a physician at Greenfield, Mass.
- vii. JANE SLY, b. April, 1827; m. Henry Smith.
- 101. Rhoda (or Rhody) Corbin (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b., Oct. 8, 1785; m. Sylvanus Wakefield of Charlton, Mass., Jan. 8, 1812. Lived in Warwick, R. I. Both died at Dudley.

### Children:

- i. RHODY WAKEFIELD, d. young.
- ii. CARLTON WAKEFIELD, d. young.
- iii. ZERVIAH WAKEFIELD, d. young.
- 102. Otis Corbin (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 23, 1788, at Dudley; m. Thankful Buffum of Richmond, N. H., who was b. in 1798 and d. April, 1871. They lived at N. Attleboro and Franklin. He d. Aug., 1862.

- 232. i. Otis, Jr., b. 1818.
- 233. ii. Rhoda Wakefield, b. Feb. 2, 1820.
  - iii. SARAH, b. 1821; m. George E. Fisher, a jeweler at N. Attleboro; both d.
  - iv. Pearline, b. 1824; m. Beniah A. Horton of Rehoboth; they resided first at Cromton and then at N. Attleboro, where he was a butcher; she d. in 1890.
- 234. v. Nelson, b. March 14, 1826.
  - vi. Julia Ann, d. in infancy.
  - vii. THANKFUL B., b. 1830; m. Arlon S. Harden; they reside in Cumberland, R. I., where he was a farmer; she d.
  - viii. Bradford, b. 1834; m. Martha Chaffee of Providence; he is a jeweler there.
  - ix. Julia Ann, b. 1836; m. John Parker Watkins of N. Swansea, Mass., where he is a farmer.
  - x. MARY JANE, d. in infancy.
  - xi. Henry E., b. 1840; he was a dealer in mill supplies at Providence.
- 103. ROYAL CORBIN (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Dec. 3, 1790, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Polly or Mary

Needham, dau. of William and Sabra (Marble) Needham, Jan. 19, 1814. They lived at Webster, Mass., until 1869, when they went to live with their dau., Elvira Chaffee, at Oxford. He was a farmer and a stonecutter. He d. in 1874; she d. in 1874, aged 83.

### Children:

- i. Rhoda, b. 1815; m. Samuel Chaffee; lived in Westford, Conn.; she d. in 1891. A son, Lewis Chaffee, m. Annah Chaffee, dau. of Elvira below.
- 235. ii. Charles, b. Dec. 15, 1816.

236. iii. Ruth, b. 1817.

237. iv. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 27, 1818.

238. v. ROYAL, b. Jan. 15, 1821.

- vi. Betsey, b. 1823; m. George Gough, a native of England, who became a designer and overseer in a woolen mill at Southbridge, Mass. She d. in Lunenburg, Mass., in 1872, leaving a dau. Lucy.
- 239. vii. MARY ANN, b. July 25, 1825.
- · 240. viii. HARRIET, b. April 10, 1829.

241. ix. Elvira, b. May 19, 1831.

104. Lewis Corbin (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. May 28, 1793; m. Mary Sayles, Dec. 16, 1821; she was b. May 20, 1803, the dau. of Royal Sayles, a farmer and miller at West Dudley. Lewis Corbin was a farmer and stone mason in Dudley. He d. of lockjaw, Nov. 6, 1840. His widow removed with the family to Rockville, Conn. She d. Oct. 24, 1882.

#### Children:

242. i. Lewis Angel, b. Sept. 18, 1822.

- ii. John Alexander, b. Aug. 27, 1826; d. Sept. 16, 1826.
- iii. George Winson, b. March 2, 1828; d. Aug. 15, 1828.
- iv. Mary Sayles, b. April 8, 1830; d. March 29, 1832.

243. v. MARY ELIZA, b. May 1, 1833.

- 244. vi. John Alexander, 2d, b. July 30, 1835.
- 245. vii. SARAH ANN MARIA, b. Aug. 18, 1839.

105. MATILDA CORBIN (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 1, 1795; m. John Wakefield of Charlton, Mass. He d. before 1855. She d. at Worcester.

- i. SARAH WAKEFIELD, m. Charles Robinson of Webster.
- ii. MATILDA WAKEFIELD, m. Warren Hicks of Charlton. Children:
  - 1. John Hicks, grad. at college, and taught at Auburn, Mass. Resides at Worcester, Mass. Two sons, John and William, live at Auburn, Mass.

106. Joshua Corbin, Jr. (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Aug. 28, 1802; m. Almira Barrett Jan. 25, 1824. Went to Wisconsin (?) about 1850, and d. about 1855. This family has been lost sight of.

### Children:

- i. George E., b. Dec. 30, 1827, at Dudley; m. Sarah A. Sayles, July 6, 1847; he was a tailor at Webster. Two sons, George J. Sayles of Denver, Col., and Llewellyn E.
- ii. MARCUS.
- iii. Chloe.
- iv. James.
- v. 'HENRY, unm.
- vi. Davis (David), killed in battle.
- vii. Albert, killed in battle.
- viii. Joshua.
- ix. John I.
- x. Joseph.
- xi. ALVIN.
- xii. Andrew.
- xiii. MATILDA.

Perhaps also Joanna, Elmira.

107. Carleton Corbin (Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. May 8, 1805, at Dudley; m. Lucy Severy, dau. of Haman Severy of Union, Conn., Nov. 18, 1832 (T. R.). She was b. July 12, 1808, and d. June 29, 1892, at Dudley. He was a farmer at Dudley, where he d. Dec. 22, 1878.

- 246. i. Vernon, b. June 23, 1833.
- 247. ii. Winson, b. Jan. 14, 1835.
  - iii. Selina, b. July 20, 1836; m. John Searles; he d. Dec., 1883; she resides at Webster, Mass.; no ch.
  - iv. Harriet, b. Dec. 10, 1838; m. Paris Rich; she d. April, 1887; 2 ch.: Luella and Lillian Rich. Lillian m. Henry E. Harwood, son of Emulus and Mary (Stone) Harwood, Aug. 6, 1894, at Worcester. They live at Charlton, Mass.
- 248. v. Carleton Otis, b. Feb. 26, 1840.
- 249. vi. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, b. Sept. 25, 1841.
- 250. vii. HORACE, b. Dec. 18, 1843.
  - viii. Lucy Ann, b. May 2, 1847; d. Jan. 2, 1886.
  - ix. Elviba, b. Jan. 22, 1849, in Thompson; m. Morey B. Alger, Aug. 15, 1883, at Webster; they reside at Worcester; no ch.
- 108. Stephen Corbin, Jr. (Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. May 14, 1789, at Wardsboro, Vt.; m. Sarah

Watson, who was b. in 1791 and d. Jan. 20, 1875. He was a farmer at Wardsboro, Vt., where he d. April 14, 1874.

## Children:

251. i. J. GALUSHA, b. Jan. 27, 1815.

252. ii. MARY W., b. Sept. 10, 1817.

253. iii. John Watson, b. Feb. 19, 1820.

iv. Cameron, b. March 17, 1822; m. Philura Adams of Barre; d. Aug. 17, 1892, at Barre, Mass.; she d. Aug. 24, 1902; one son, d. young.

254. v. EMILY, b. Jan. 8, 1824.

255. vi. Lucy, b. Feb. 29, 1827.

- vii. Jackson, b. Sept. 5, 1829; went West and was lost track of.
- viii. RICHARD, b. Dec. 29, 1831; m. Martha Lynds of Guilford, March 5, 1856. He d. March 31, 1872, in Townshend, Vt. She m. 2d, Frank Putnam of Jacksonville, Vt.

ix. MARTHA A., b. Nov. 29, 1838; d. Oct. 20, 1840.

109. Sylvia Corbin (Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 23, 1794; m. Alson Pierce Aug. 26, 1819, at Painted Post, N. Y. He was b. at S. Windham, Vt., June 21, 1794. She d. at Cooper's Plains, N. Y., March 18, 1865.

### Children:

i. Benjamin C. Pierce, b. Oct. 14, 1820; d. Aug. 10, 1844, at Cooper's Plains.

ii. MARY AMANDA PIERCE, b. May 21, 1823; m. Floyd Morse; res. Cooper's Plains, N. Y. Ch.: Rush, Emma, Herbert, and Annise Morse.

iii. Martha A. Pierce, b. Oct. 25, 1825; m. Charles J. Cooper; d. at Cooper's Plains, Aug. 14, 1902. Ch.: Charles, Benjamin, John, Mary, and Frank Cooper.

- iv. Byron S. Pierce, b. April 15, 1839; m. Sophia Stilson; he was an acting assistant Surgeon in the Civil War; is now a farmer and fruit grower at Cooper's Plains. N. Y. Ch.: Lucia, Helena, Benjamin, Frank, Clement, and Clarence Pierce.
- 110. Hollis Corbin (Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. April 8, 1800, at Wardsboro, Vt.: m. Laura Gilbert Dec. 17, 1829, at Orange, Steuben County, N. Y. She was b. Nov. 7, 1810, at Arlington, Vt. They resided at Campbell, Steuben County, N. Y., where the children were born. He d. at Ann Arbor, Mich., March 13, 1863. She d. at Clinton, Iowa, Aug. 22, 1874. Both were buried at Ann Arbor.

- 256. i. GILBERT ELI, b. March 4, 1831.
- 257. ii. Judson Stephen, b. Nov. 24, 1833.
- 258. iii. Lucy Lauraette, b. May 14, 1836.
- 111. Priscilla Corbin (Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Dec. 30, 1776; m. Rensselaer Child, son of Asa Child, Nov. 28, 1797; he was b. Sept. 15, 1769. He was a large, powerful, and intelligent man, a schoolmaster, surveyor, and conveyancer (mentioned in Ammidown's Hist. Collections). Lived at Woodstock, Conn., where all the children were born.

#### · Children:

- i. ASA CHILD, b. Dec. 2, 1798; m. Alice H. Goddard.
- ii. Peleg Corbin Child, b. July 11, 1800; m. Abigail Bullock.
- iii. Lynus (Linus) Child, b. Feb. 27, 1803; m. Berenthia Mason.
- iv. Myra Child, b. Feb. 18, 1804; d. unm., Dec. 15, 1825.
- v. LEVINA CHILD, b. Nov. 4, 1806; m. Henry Ingalls.
- vi. CLARISSA CHILD, b. Sept. 26, 1810; m. Charles Chandler.
- vii. Priscilla Child, b. Oct. 2, 1812; m. Rensselaer Woodruff.
- viii. Ephraim Child, b. May 31, 1818; d. Dec. 30, 1827.
- ix. Rensselaer Child, b. March 6, 1820; m. Maria Marcy.
- 112. ELIAKIM LYON CORBIN (Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Oct. 7, 1777, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. Lodama Rathbone Jan. 6, 1805. She was the dau. of Abel and Anna (Gales) Rathbone, formerly of Nova Scotia. They had nine children; Lodama, the sixth, was b. Sept. 2, 1784. He removed soon after marriage from Woodstock to Exeter, Otsego County, N. Y., and in 1822 to McDonough, Chenango County, N. Y., where he died May 10, 1841, and she d. in 1864

- 259. i. ARIAN, b. Nov. 3, 1805.
- 260. ii. Horace, b. Dec. 19, 1806.
- 261. iii. ABEL RATHBONE, b. May 24, 1808.
- 262. iv. LAVINIA, b. July 7, 1810.
- 263. v. Eli Lyon, b. Feb. 7, 1812; m. Abigail B. Taintor.
  - vi. Lucia Amanda, b. Dec. 31, 1821; m. George P. Howell, Sept. 15, 1847. They resided at Washington and Jersey City; he was in the real estate business; no ch.; she d. Jan. 31, 1878; he d. Nov., 1891.

113. AARON CORBIN (Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. 1781; m. Betsey Johnson of Thompson, Dec. 18, 1823 (T. R.). Lived at Woodstock. She d. Nov. 25, 1826. He m., 2d, Sabra Bushnell of Norwich, Oct. 11, 1837. He d. Aug. 20, 1849.

### Child:

- i. AARON JOHNSON, b. Nov. 25, 1826; m. Mary S. Dow of Thompson, Feb. 11, 1850. He was at San Antonio, Texas. Children:

  E———, b. Jan. 16, 1861, at Thompson.
- 114. Jonathan Corbin (Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. at Woodstock, Aug. 20, 1760; m. Abigail Wight of South Gore, Oxford, Dec. 24, 1781, where they settled, and where he subscribed to the Universalist Church in 1785. He was a soldier in the Revolution. She was b. Jan. 30, 1757, dau. of Levi Wight. (See Wight Genealogy.) He d. at Webster, Dec. 26, 1817. She d. July 21, 1825.

### Children:

264. i. POLLY, b. Nov. 27, 1782. 265. ii. Lucy, b. April 18, 1785. 266. iii. SARAH, b. Dec. 7, 1787.

267. iv. Anna, b. Feb. 9, 1790.

v. John, b. April 26, 1792; m. Mary Stone of Thompson, dau. of John and Hannah (Eddy) Stone, intentions April 3, 1815; d. April 28, 1849, at Charlton; she d. Oct. 12, 1841; no ch.

268. vi. JABEZ, b. Aug. 28, 1794. 269. vii. ESTHER, b. Oct. 27, 1796.

115. SARAH CORBIN (Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. in Woodstock, Jan. 11, 1764; m. Levi Wight Oct. 24, 1782, in Oxford, Mass. After the birth of the first six children, Levi removed from Oxford with his brothers, John and Caleb, to Fairfield, Herkimer County, N. Y. In 1802 he removed to Oppenheim, N. Y., where he bought a farm. Later he and his wife followed their children to the western part of the state. He d. Jan. 2, 1830; she d. April 15, 1852, both in Centerville, Allegany County, N. Y. Their son Lyman writes in his diary: "My parents were very strenuous believers in the

Universalist doctrine, strictly moral, and perfectly honest." (See Wight Genealogy.)

### Children:

i. WILLIAM WIGHT, b. March 2, 1783; m. Betsey Hewitt, and 2d, Abigail Cudworth, and had 9 ch., at Centerville, N. Y.

ii. Daniel Wight, b. Jan. 23, 1785; m. Mary Hewitt,

and had 7 ch., at Centerville, N. Y.

iii. ABBOTT WIGHT, b. Feb. 23, 1787; m. Alice Cabot in Fairfield, N. Y. and had 9 ch. at Oppenheim, Henrietta, and Centerville, N. Y. Hhe was a soldier in the war of 1812.

iv. Dolly Wight, b. Sept. 1, 1789; m. Nathan Felt, and had 4 ch.

v. George Wight, b. Sept. 22, 1791; d. in the army at Fort George, U. C., Aug. 10, 1813; unm.

vi. Stephen Wight, b. Oct. 6, 1793; was a soldier in the War of 1812; m. Hannah Felt, and had 13 ch. at Centerville, N. Y.; d. in Iowa.

- vii. LYMAN WIGHT, b. May 9, 1796, in Fairfield, N. Y.; m. Harriet Benton, in Henrietta, N. Y. In 1829 he accepted the Mormon doctrine, and became an elder and an apostle, a strong friend of Joseph Smith. After the death of the latter in 1844, he disagreed with the rest of the twelve apostles, and led a company of 200 followers to Texas. These became later the "Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ and the Latter Day Saints," a body which does not sympathize with the polygamous practices of the Utah church. Lyman Wight d. near San Antonio, Texas, in 1858. He was a man of great ambition, superior intellect, and strong character, and maintained supremacy over his followers. He went through the persecutions and vicissitudes that befell the early Mormon Church in Illinois and Missouri. He had 6 ch. by his wife Harriet, and his descendants live mostly in Texas.
- viii. Uzziel Wight, b. June 16, 1798, in Fairfield; m. Caroline Van Buren at Oppenheim, N. Y., and had 8 ch. His oldest son was Rev. Orlando Williams Wight, b. Feb. 19, 1824, who became a well-known theologian, philosopher, writer, editor, and translator. He also studied medicine and law. He lived in New York, Boston, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and Michigan, and traveled much in Europe and around the world. He had a wonderfully versatile career, and accomplished more different things than any one man is usually considered capable of. He d. in Detroit, in 1888. For fuller accounts see the various biographical dictionaries.
- ix. Susannah Wight, b. Sept. 7, 1800, in Fairfield; m. Morris Stickel, at Henrietta, N. Y.; 6 ch.
- x. SARAH WIGHT, b. May 4, 1803, in Oppenheim; m. Peter Weaver, in Centerville; she became a Mor-

mon with her brother Lyman, but abhorred polygamy.

- xi. CLARISSA WIGHT, b. May 4, 1803, in Oppenheim; d. unm., 1848.
- 116. CHARITY CORBIN (John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. June 25, 1762; m. Judge Samuel Hicks about 1786 at Bennington, Vt. He was b. 1761 (son of John Hicks of Cambridge, Mass., and Elizabeth Nutting). He was a captain of dragoons in the Revolutionary War, and quartermaster, and was engaged in the battle of Plattsburgh, N. Y. He resided at Bennington, Vt., in early life, and after 1798 at Champlain, N. Y. Here he kept a publichouse for a time, which he discontinued in 1810. After this period he filled the various offices of postmaster, justice of peace, and custom-house officer. In the War of 1812 he was commissary, and operated so actively against the British that they offered a reward for his head. He was one of the seven to form the first Congregational church in Champlain. Charity Corbin Hicks d. 1802, and he m., 2d, widow Polly Woodward, by whom he had six more children. He d. July 26, 1825, æ. 64. Charity Corbin was teaching school previous to her marriage.

# Children of Samuel and Charity Hicks:

i. John Hicks, b. 1787; d. March, 1811.

- ii. HARRIET HICKS, b. Oct. 9, 1788; d. unm., May 8, 1853.
- iii. WILLIAM HICKS, b. March 11, 1790; d. Aug. 15, 1864; m. widow Maria Myers, and had 7 ch.; resided at Syracuse, New York, Illinois, California, and d. 1864.
- iv. Samuel Hicks, b. about 1791; d. 1828; a Revolutionary soldier; m. Aurora Pember; had 6 ch.; d. 1828.
- v. MARY HICKS, b. Dec. 7, 1799; m. Aurelius Beaumont, a millwright and farmer at Champlain, where he d., 1856; 11 ch.
- vi. ROYAL CORBIN HICKS, b. in Champlain, March 12, 1800; removed in 1822 to Canada; m. Sarah Hover; no ch.
- 117. Martha Corbin (John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. at Killingly, Conn., Aug. 24, 1764; m. Judge Pliny Moore of Bennington, Vt., Jan. 22, 1787. He was b. April 14, 1759 (son of Noadiah and Anna (Loomis) Moore). He d. in Champlain, N. Y., Aug. 18, 1822,

where she also d. May 2, 1825. He was a large landholder and an intelligent, enterprising, wealthy man.

## Children:

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- i. Noadiah Moore, b. at Kinderhook, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1788; m. Maria Caroline Mattocks of Middlebury, Vt., Jan. 30, 1814. He was a manufacturer of ploughs in Champlain, N. Y., and had a sawmill there. He d. Feb. 9, 1859; 7 ch.
- ii. Anna Moore, b. at Champlain, N. Y., April 9, 1790; m. Julius C. Hubbell; d. May 14, 1861; 4 ch.
- iii. Sophia Moore, b. Sept. 12, 1792; m. Thomas J. Whiteside; d. April 10, 1831; 4 ch.
- iv. ROYAL MOORE, b. May 20, 1794; d. May 25, 1794.
- v. ROYAL CORBIN MOORE, b. June 16, 1797; m. Laura Whiteside, Jan. 13, 1825. He was a lumber merchant at Champlain; 8 ch.
- vi. Olive Moore, b. Feb. 24, 1797; d. May 7, 1797.
- vii. PLINY MOORE, b. Jan. 25, 1799; m. Aug. 10, 1831, Pamela Savage; no ch.; d. March 9, 1872.
- viii. Amasa Corbin Moore, b. April 3, 1801; m. Charlotte Elizabeth Mooers, Jan. 18, 1826; he was a lawyer at Plattsburgh, N. Y., and d. Jan. 20, 1865; 10 ch.
- ix. LUCRETIA MATILDA MOORE, b. Dec. 3, 1802; m. Abraham D. Brinkerhoff, Jan. 14, 1824. and 2d, Loren Hubbell; no ch. She d. March 2, 1860.
- x. Henry Moore, b. Jan. 31, 1806; d. March 10, 1810 (or June 15, 1807).

For a further account of the descendants of this family, see "Andrew Moore and his Descendants," by Hon. Horace L. Moore, published in 1903.

- 118. Hon. Royal Corbin (John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. June 12, 1766; m. Lucretia Matilda Crafts, dau. of Col. Ebenezer and Mehitable (Chandler) Crafts of Craftsbury, Vt., July 2, 1797. She was b. June 14, 1771, at Sturbridge, Mass., and d. April 12, 1848.
- Col. Ebenezer Crafts was b. at Pomfret, Conn., Sept. 23. 1740; graduated from Yale in 1759; m. Mehitable Chandler (William, John, John, William), who d. Sept. 27, 1812. (See Chandler Genealogy.) He kept a hotel in Sturbridge, Mass. In the Revolution he was captain of a company of cavalry from Sturbridge, Charlton, and Dudley, in the campaign around Boston; afterwards he was colonel of a regiment, and helped to suppress Shay's Rebellion, 1786-7. He founded the academy at Leicester, Mass. In 1788 he settled a town in Vermont, which was named Craftsbury after him, and of which he was the patriarch. He received the degree of M.A. from Harvard in 1786. He d. May 24, 1810. One of his sons,

Samuel Chandler Crafts, became governor of Vermont and a representative and senator in Congress.

Royal Corbin was at first a merchant at Alburgh, Vt., but after 1797 was a farmer at Craftsbury. He was a justice of the peace for many years, a member of the state legislature for several terms, and judge of probate for the county of Orleans. He was a member and supporter of the Congregational Church. He d. July 4, 1851, at Troy, N. Y., of paralysis, while on a visit to his son.

### Children:

i. ROYAL CRAFTS, b. Nov. 2, 1798; d. June 19, 1801.

270. ii. PLINY MOORE, b. Dec. 8, 1801.

271. iii. WILLIAM CRAFTS, b. Nov. 15, 1803.

272. iv. LAURA MATILDA, b. April 1, 1807.

v. Charles Chandler, b. Dec. 10, 1809; d. July 1, 1810.

119. Sally Corbin (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. March 22, 1779; m. Daniel Ward of Kirkland, N. Y.; d. Oct. 14, 1856.

### Children:

i. James Hamlin Ward, b. Oct. 28, 1811, in Pittsfield, Mass.; m. Jane Morse, in Leary, Ohio; d. in 1898. Children:

1. Franklin Ward, b. 1837; d. young.

- 2. EILEN WARD, b. 1841, at West Falls, N. Y.; m. Wm. Grace; res. Spring Brook, Erie Co., N. Y.
- 3. WILLIAM WARD, b. 1837, in Marshall, N. Y.; became a M. E. minister in Iowa.

ii. Jonathan Stow Ward, b. 1814; d. Dec., 1825.

- iii. Rhoda Sophia Ward, b. March 20, 1816; d. Feb., 1837; m. Wm. Smith.
- iv. Julius John Ward, b. Sept. 19, 1817; d. Dec., 1838.
- v. Sally Maria Ward, b. May 3, 1819; d. March, 1872. vi. Francis A. Ward, b. Dec. 23, 1821 (?); m. Laura Corbin, his cousin, dau. of John Corbin, Oct. 4, 1851, in New Berlin, N. Y.; d. April 26, 1881.
- 120. Capt. John Corbin (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. July 25, 1782; m. Susanna Keiff. She was b. May 25, 1784, and d. Dec. 11 or 17, 1866, at Sherburne, N. Y. He d. Aug. 21 or Dec. 17, 1862, at Sherburne, N. Y. He was appointed lieutenant by Gov. Christopher Gore of Massachusetts, July 15, 1808, and captain in 1811 by Gov. Elbridge Geary. He was discharged at his own request in 1813.

# Children, all b. at S. Williamstown, Mass.:

273. i. ELIZA, b. May 9, 1807.

ii. Amasa, b. May 8, 1809; d. Feb. 24, 1811.

iii. HARRIET, b. Jan. 12, 1811; d. March 25, 1884, at New Berlin; unm.

274. iv. HENRY JAY, b. Nov. 7, 1812.

- v. Jane Ann, b. July 6 or 26, 1814; d. unm., Feb. 1 or 21, 1839, at Hancock, Mass.
- vi. Delia Marie, b. April 23, 1816; d. unm., May 27, 1877, at Sherburne, N. Y.
- 275. vii. FBANK, b. May 31, 1819.

276. viii. BETSEY, b. April 16, 1821.

- ix. Martha, b. July 24, 1823; m. Vinson R. Howard, at Sherburne, N. Y.; d. March 8, 1882, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.; no ch.
- x. LAURA, b. Aug. 8, 1825; m. Francis A. Ward, Oct. 4, 1851. She resides at Clinton, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. IRVING HARLOW WARD, b. April 25, 1856, in Marshall, N. Y.; m. Elizabeth A. Wilcox, Jan. 30, 1878; one son, b. Dec. 15, 1878.

2. ELIZABETH MAY WARD, b. Nov. 6, 1865.

- xi. CAROLINE M., b. June 17 or 27, 1827; m. Nathan M. Bailey, at Sherburne, N. Y.; he was b. March 27, 1826, and d. Nov. 5, 1903. She d. Oct. 4, 1895. Children:
  - 1. JOHN C. BAILEY, b. Dec. 16, 1855; d. Oct. 2, 1862.
  - 2. JAY E. BAILEY, b. Feb. 25, 1856; d. Feb. 2, 1862.
- 277. xii. WILLIAM HARLOW, b. Aug. 24, 1829.

121. Nancy Corbin (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 3, 1784; m. Russell Roscoe; b. at Camden, N. Y. He d. at Frankfort, N. Y.; a farmer. She d. near Peotone, Ill., 1850, æ. 86.

- i. Almira Corbin Roscoe, d. unm., æ. 37; buried at Frankfort, N. Y.
- ii. WILLIAM ROSCOE, a boat captain on the Hudson River; d. at Frankfort, N. Y.; unm.
- iii. SHERMUNE ROSCOE, engineer in the pail factory of his uncle, William Corbin; d. at Frankfort, N. Y.; unm.
- iv. Daniel Ward Roscoe, a carpenter, m. Mary Woolsey; d. at Frankfort, N. Y.; 3 ch., girls; res. at Utica, N. Y.
- v. DAVID ROSCOE, m. Mary Fero, dau. of Isaac Fero. He d. May 13, 1884, at DeWitt, Neb. Children:
  - 1. GEORGE CORBIN ROSCOE, a druggist at De-Witt, Neb.
  - 2. WILLIAM HARLOW ROSCOE, has a grain elevator at DeWitt.

- 3. SHERMUNE ROSCOE, carpenter at DeWitt.
- 3. NANCY CORBIN ROSCOE, m. John R. Baird; 3 ch.; he is an engineer in the brick and tile factory at Peotone, Ill.
- 122. Hamlin Corbin (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 11, 1788; m. Matilda ———. He lived at Marshall, Oneida County, N. Y. He d. April 12, 1851. She d. March 11, 1860, æ. 56.

i. ELECTA I., d. April 20, 1849; æ. 25.

ii. MARY, m. Andrus Root; d. May 6, 1849; æ. 20.

iii. John D., d. April 21, 1847; æ. 19.

- iv. ROXEY A., m. Morey Lapham; d. March 12, 1853; æ. 29; son, Dwight H. Lapham, d. Sept. 20, 1853; æ. six months.
- v. Helen, d. Oct. 7, 1840; æ. 22.

vi. JANE M., d. May 8, 1848; æ. 17.

vii. SARAH, d. Sept. 26, 1865; æ. 31.

- viii. GEORGE W., b. 1847; Lieut. in Co. I, 9th Regt., Iowa State Vols.; d. Jan. 2, 1863; æ. 25. "Next to his God he loved his country, and upon her altar he laid his life as a sacrifice, a son of the Union he died." Buried at Paris Hill, N. Y.
- ix. HELEN, m. Heart Loomis; had one dau., who d. June 3, 1865, aged 15.
- 123. James Corbin (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. July 21, 1791; m. Mary E. ——. He d. May 2, 1860; she d. Jan. 8, 1882, æ. 89-2-19. Res., S. Williamstown, Mass.

#### Children:

- i. NATHAN, m. Laura Mills; 2 ch.
- ii. Amasa T., m. Sarah Darby; dau. Sarah A. He d. June 29, 1863; æ. 46-11-21.
- iii. Mary, m. Henry Blair; they lived at S. Williamstown, Mass.
- 124. SOPHIA CORBIN (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. July 27, 1796; m. Isaac Fero Sept. 25, 1814. She d. May, 1825. He m., 2d, ——.

- i. GERTRUDE FERO, b. about 1820; m. —— Baird; no ch.; he d. about 1892.
- ii. ELIZA FERO.
- iii. Cornella Fero, m. Fero; a dau. m. Latarette.
- iv. WILLIAM HARLOW FERO.

125. WILLIAM HARLOW CORBIN (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 23, 1798, in S. Williamstown, Mass.; m. Sarah Hartwell Doolittle. She was b. Nov., 1801, at Paris, Oneida County, N. Y., and d. in 1880. He was a school teacher and a farmer. He d. Oct. 20, 1868, in E. Aurora, N. Y.

### Children:

i. SARAH JANE, b. ——; m. Rev. Mr. Rice, a Presb. minister; lived in Grand Island, Neb.

ii. ELIZA M., d. Sept. 21, 1839; æ. 12.

iii. DEWITT C., b. 1830; d. 1886; m. Lydia Maria Arnold; 4 dau.

278. iv. FAYETTE HARLOW, b. June 28, 1832.

- v. CAROLINE, m. —— Bartlett; d. March, 1865; æ. 20; no ch.
- vi. Julia, m. ——— Case; d. April, 1902.

vii. MARY E., d. June 26, 1863; æ. 25.

- viii. WILLIAM CASSIUS, d. about 1898; m. Eliza Thayer.
- 126. WILLIAM CORBIN (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. March 2, 1778; m. Sarah Mills, dau. of Samuel and Jemima (Harrington) Mills; the marriage intentions were dated Nov. 5, 1801; she was b. Sept. 24, 1782. Samuel Mills was in the battle of Bennington, and a merchant in good standing. William Corbin lived at Champlain, N. Y., where he was an active and respected citizen. He once rode after a thief 100 miles in a single day, and camped over night within 50 yards of where the thief lay concealed. He was killed while mounting a horse on "training day," June 17, 1809, at Champlain. His widow afterwards m. Capt. John Foster of Hancock, Mass. He committed suicide at Hancock. They had two children, Eliza Foster, who m. John W. Bates, a banker of Lansingburgh, and Myron Foster.

- 279. i. AMASA, b. Dec. 12, 1802. 280. ii. DELIA, b. Nov. 15, 1806. Another d. young.
- 127. MARTHA CORBIN (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 20, 1779, at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Benjamin Moore, who was b. Nov. 12, 1772; he studied medi-

cine and was the first physician that settled at Champlain, N. Y. His house was the first brick dwelling erected in the village. He left a valuable estate. Martha C. Moore d. at Champlain Dec. 9, 1831. See "Andrew Moore and his Descendants," 1903, for fuller records.

## Children b. at Champlain:

- i. Benjamin Franklin Moore, b. July 3, 1801; d. March 17, 1809.
- ii. ELIZA CABOLINE MOORE, b. Aug. 6, 1802; d. Dec. 17, 1827.
- Dewey, dau. of Elias and Louisa (Hamilton)
  Dewey at Champlain, Sept. 26, 1832; he d. at
  Yreka, Cal., Nov. 1, 1882. She was b. April 27,
  1813, at Champlain, and d. there May 9, 1854.
  Children:
  - 1. GEORGE B. MOORE, b. Aug. 10, 1833; d. Dec. 23, 1833.
  - 2. MARTHA L. MOORE, b. Oct. 3, 1834; m. Franklin J. King, Jan. 22, 1857, at Champlain; he was a soldier in the Mexican War, and afterwards settled in Yreka, Cal., where he was a merchant; 5 ch.
  - 3. SILAS D. MOORE, b. Feb. 17, 1836; d. Aug. 16, 1838.
  - 4. ELIZABETH E. MOORE, b. June 7, 1838; d. Oct. 21, 1839.
  - 5. CARRIE E. MOORE, b. Feb. 28, 1840; m. Curtis Hoopes Pyle, in Cal., March 22, 1863; 7 ch.
  - 6. CATHERINE E. MOORE, b. June 27, 1843; m. James Spurs in Cal., in 1868.
  - 7. EMILY B. MOORE, b. March 12, 1845; m. J. W. Thompson in Cal.; d. Aug. 18, 1872, at San Francisco.
  - 8. CHARLES S. MOORE, b. May 2, 1854; m. J. Louisa Fried, in Yreka, Cal., in 1883; res. Sissons, Cal.; one ch.
- iv. EDWARD JOSEPH MOORE, b. Dec. 14, 1806; m. Mary Lovell Nichols of Essex, N. Y.; b. Dec. 25, 1810; d. May 4, 1875. He was a physician of large practice in Champlain and surgeon of one of the militia regiments of the State of New York; he d. at Champlain, Dec. 17, 1851. Children:

1. BENJAMIN CORBIN MOORE, b. May 9, 1834;

m. Alice Moore, Sept. 9, 1875; a druggist.

2. THOMAS SCOTT MOORE, b. June 7, 1836; d. Nov. 5, 1880, at Globe City, Ariz.; he was a surveyor and mining engineer.

3. ELIZABETH MOORE, b. Sept. 16, 1838; m. Levi

Peake; res. Chateaugay, N. Y.; 4 ch.

4. Julia Moore, b. Sept. 30, 1841; m. William A. Hersey; res. Watertown, N. Y.; 6 ch.

5. Sophia Alice Moore, b. Sept. 28, 1845; d.

Sept. 28, 1867.

6. EDWARD J. MOORE, b. Sept. 10, 1846; m. Georgiana Crabbe; is a manufacturing druggist in New York; res. Flushing, N. Y.; 4 ch.

7. CHARLES MOORE, b. July 17, 1850; d. Oct. 27,

1851.

v. Noadiah Moore, b. March 6, 1812; d. March 9, 1812. vi. Ann Moore, b. March 6, 1812; d. Aug. 30, 1813.

- vii. MARY MOORE, b. March 6, 1812; m. John Shedden; 6 ch. b. at Moers, N. Y.
- viii. JAMES AUGUSTUS MOORE, b. Aug. 17, 1821.

128. Mary Corbin (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 8, 1783, at Williamstown, Mass.; m., at the age of 18, Charles L. Sailly; they had one dau., Emily, who d. at the age of 15. Mr. Sailly d. two years after their marriage. She m., 2d, Morris Bosworth of Sandisfield, Mass., son of Nathaniel Bosworth. She d. at Ogdensburg, Oct. 8, 1870. He d. at Toronto, Ont., March 2, 1838.

## Children born at Champlain:

i. Mary Bosworth, b. June 29, 1815; d. unm., at Og-

densburg, July 19, 1892.

ii. WILLIAM BOSWORTH, b. July 5, 1817; m. Elizabeth J. Linton, April 16, 1857, at Ogdensburg; she was the dau. of John and Hannah (Waldron) Linton, and was b. at St. George, New Brunswick. Children:

1. George Bosworth, b. Jan. 27, 1858; m. Lucy Medbury, dau. of Lewis and Mary (Clark) Medbury, Jan. 4, 1887, at Atlas, Mich. She d. June 10, 1902, at Montreal. He rose from a clerk in the freight department of the Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain R. R. to general freight agent, general traffic manager, and now fourth vice-president. Two children: Ruth. b. April 20, 1888, at Atlas, Mich.; Samuel, b. July 6, 1889, at Toronto, Ont.

2. Jessie Bosworth, b. Aug. 20, 1861, at Og-

densburg, where she resides.

3. Mary Bosworth, b. Aug. 3, 1865, at Ogdensburg; m. Lawrence Proctor, son of William and Dolly (Howard) Proctor, Feb. 8, 1888, at Ogdensburg; 4 ch. b. at Ogdensburg: Dorothy, b. Jan. 10, 1889; William, b. July 5, 1890; George, b. Feb. 14, 1892; Howard, b. Nov. 20, 1893; res. Fernie, British Columbia.

4. WALTER BOSWORTH, b. Sept. 20, 1867, at Og-

densburg; res. Fernie, British Columbia.

iii. EMILY Bosworth, b. March 16, 1819; d. unm., Sept. 14, 1904, at Ogdensburg.

iv. ELIZABETH BOSWORTH, b. May 10, 1821; lives at Ogdensburg.

v. George, b. at Toronto, Ont.; d. there in infancy.

129. Josiah Corbin (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 22, 1791, at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Margaret Sanders at Champlain, N. Y., in 1833. She was b. Jan. 6, 1808, at Londonderry, Ireland, the dau. of James Sanders. Josiah Corbin served in the War of 1812, and in 1819 was appointed by Gov. Clinton as cornet of a troop in the 15th Regiment N. Y. Cavalry. He was a man of high standing in the community in which he lived. He d. July 20, 1873, at Champlain; she d. there Feb. 3, 1885.

## Children b. at Champlain, N. Y.:

281. i. ROYAL, b. Dec. 19, 1834.

282. ii. MARY TALLMADGE, b. May 6, 1836.

283. iii. George Sullivan, b. Feb. 9, 1838. 284. iv. Freeman Nye. b. Feb. 22, 1840.

284. iv. Freeman Nye, b. Feb. 22, 1840. 285. v. Eliza Catherine, b. Nov. 27, 1842.

vi. Josiah Tallmadge, b. May 10, 1846; lives at Champlain; unm.

vii. Cornelia Schuyler, b. Feb. 6, 1849; lives at Champlain; unm.

viii. HANNAH STETSON, b. Jan. 9, 1851; lives at Champlain; unm.

ix. John Alpha, b. Oct. 14, 1853; d. July 15, 1862.

x. Charles Hosmer, b. Oct. 2, 1856; d. June 25, 1857.

129½. Hosmer Corbin (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. at Williamstown, Mass., May 18, 1793 or 1794; removed to Champlain, N. Y., with his parents, and m. there, July 8, 1822, Cynthia Dewey, b. at Champlain, N. Y., July 23, 1799, dau. of Elias and Louisa (Hamilton) Dewey. He died at Hemingford, Province of Quebec, June 7, 1877. She d. there Jan. 15, 1852.

#### Children:

i. Joseph Elias, b. at Champlain, N. Y., Oct. 4, 1825; m. March 30, 1837, at Hinchinbrooke, P. Q., Lavina S. Manning, the dau. of John C. Manning. They are both living at Bangor, Me. They had:

1. HELEN LOUISA, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., June 26, 1861; d. at Everett, Mass., Nov. 5, 1897.

2. ALBERT NELSON, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., July 15, 1864; d. at Hemingford, P. Q., Feb. 4, 1866.

3. John Hosmer, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., Sept. 14, 1866; m. Aug. 30, 1899, at Everett, Mass., Evelyn Dorothy Curtis of Truro, Nova Scotia. They live at Bangor, Me.

4. Frederick William, b. at Hemingford, April 9, 1869; d. at Hemingford, Aug. 11, 1879.

5. Grace May, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., Feb. 9,

1872; d. at Hemingford, March 30, 1876.

6. Josephine Maude, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., April 17, 1875; m., Sept. 16, 1902, at Manilla, Philippine Islands, to William A. Schwindt of Everett, Mass. Child: Helen Margaret Schmidt, b. March 29, 1905, at Los Angeles, Cal.

- ii. Louisa Hamilton Corbin, b. at Champlain, Sept. 2, 1826; m. at Champlain, Oct. 7, 1846, Chas. Chapin, b. Aug. 17, 1822, at Whitehall, N. Y., son of Stephen and Lucina Chapin. He died at Whitehall, N. Y., in Feb., 1888. She is living at No. 504 East Jefferson St., Syracuse, N. Y. They had five children:
  - 1. CHARLES HOSMER CHAPIN, b. at Champlain, N. Y., June 27, 1848; grad. Yale, 1870; d. Natchez, Miss., Oct. 29, 1871.
  - 2. MARTHA CHAPIN. b. Nov. 27, 1849, at Whitehall, N. Y.; m. at Whitehall, N. Y., May 15, 1872, Austin O. Ames, b. 11th of April, 1848, son of Ambrose and Sophronia; they live at No. 504 East Jefferson St., Syracuse, N. Y.
  - 3. Joseph' William Chapin, b. at Whitehall,

June 28, 1854; d. March 12, 1856.

4. James Chapin, b. at Whitehall, Aug. 27,

1856; d. March 2, 1857.

- 5. RICHARD ALLYN CHAPIN, b. March 7, 1858, at Whitehall, and died at Syracuse, Aug. 21, 1898. He married, at Champlain, June 15, 1892, Genevieve M. Munson, b. Sept. 21, 1864, dau. of James Munson and Lucy Jane Maxon Munson. had:
  - 1. CHARLES HOSMER CHAPIN, b. May 21, 1893.
  - 2. RICHARD ALLYN CHAPIN, Jr., b. Oct. 19, 1895; d. Feb. 5, 1899.

Mrs. Chapin is living at North Adams, Mass.

- AMELIA SAILLER, b. at Champlain, N. Y., Jan. 17, iii. 1829; m. October, 1857. Peter McNaughton, son of Finlay McNaughton of Hemingford, P. Q. She died at Hemingford, March 26, 1870. Children:
  - 1. MALCOLM FINLAY MCNAUGHTON, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., July 12, 1859; m. at Merced, Cal., July 26, 1900, Ellen, eldest daughter of Edward Hart. They have one child, Edward P. F., b. March, 1901.
  - 2. CHARLES McNaughton. b. Feb. 1, 1861, at Hemingford; m. Sept. 7, 1887, Maggie E., youngest dau. of Henry Kearns. Resides at Winnepeg, Manitoba. Children:
    - 1. Amelia Barbara McNaughton, b. Sept. 14. 1888.
    - 2. Frederick Clarence McNaughton, b. May 9, 1892.
    - 3. JOHN FLETCHER MCNAUGHTON, b. Jan. 23,

- 1866; m. Jan. 21, 1891, to Jessie K., eldest daughter of Dr. Wm. Glover, Hemingford. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES GLOVER MCNAUGHTON, b. Jan. 15, 1892.
    - 2. JESSIE K. McNaughton, b. June 12, 1894.
  - 3. FREDERICK MALCOLM MCNAUGHTON, b. Feb. 26, 1896.
    - 4. Grant McNaughton, b. March 13, 1897.
    - 5. GERTRUDE MCNAUGHTON, b. Jan. 18, 1899.
  - 6. GLADYS AMELIA MCNAUGHTON, b. May 7, 1901.
- iv. WILLIAM TALLMADGE, b. Dec. 16, 1831, at Champlain, N. Y.; m. at Hemingford, P. Q., March 28, 1856, Mary Angeline Starnes, b. at Hemingford, P. Q., Jan. 1, 1832, dau. of Charles Starnes. They reside at Canaan, N. H. Children, b. at Corbin, P. Q.:
  - 1. HARRIET SCRIVER, b. Dec. 29, 1856; m. Edwin Church at Hemingford, July 14, 1881. He was born at Crarys Mills, St. Lawrence County, N. Y., Feb. 21, 1855, and was the son of Capt. Charles B. Church and Caroline (Crary) Church. They reside at Canaan, N. H. Child:

1. Hosmer Church, b. Jan. 8, 1883.

- 2. Hosmer Baxter, b. March 31, 1858; m. Maria Trew, Jan. 19, 1898; she was b. at Harrisburg, Can., July 29, 1872, the dau. of Robert and Jane (Driscoll) Trew. They reside at Canaan, N. H. Children:
  - 1. MARGARET M., b. Sept. 6, 1901.
  - 2. CHARLES HERBERT, b. Feb. 14, 1903.
- 3. CHARLES STARNES, b. July 14, 1860; unmarried. Business address, No. 44 Hudson St., New York city.
- 4. CYNTHIA DEWEY CORBIN, b. April 21, 1862; m. Lyman L. Honsinger. Oct. 6, 1886. He was born at West Chazy, N. Y., May 25, 1857, and was the son of Dr. William S. and Louisa (Hedding) Honsinger. They reside at West Chazy, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. Louise Honsinger, b. Nov. 2, 1889.
  - 2. Hazel Honsinger, b. March 31, 1894.
  - 3. RUTH HONSINGER, b. Nov. 11, 1895.
  - 4. Doris Honsinger, b. May 18, 1897.
- 5. AMELIA SAILLER, b. June 14, 1864; m. at Rouse Point, N. Y., Dec. 31, 1890, Henry Roderick Bosworth, b. at Champlain, Jan. 3, 1857, son of Roderick Bosworth and Maria (Stetson) Bosworth. They reside at Morristown, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. WYMAN STETSON BOSWORTH, b. at Rouse Point, April 18, 1892.
  - 2. Norma Corbin Bosworth, b. at Champlain, July 7, 1895.
- 6. JOHN ANDREW, b. Aug. 14, 1866; unmarried; resides at Burlington, Vt.
  - 7. EMMA LOVISA, b. Aug. 4, 1870; m. March

31, 1903, Clarence D. Hay. They reside at West

Chazy, N. Y.

8. Cornella Walker, b. April 22, 1872; m. at Corbin, P. Q., Feb. 17, 1897, E. Thomson Stearns, b. at Rouse Point, N. Y., June 15, 1869, son of M. L. Stearns and Carrie (Thomson) Stearns. They reside at Champlain, N. Y. Children:

1. ALEXANDER STEARNS, b. at Champlain,

Nov. 8, 1900.

2. George Corbin Stearns, b. at Champlain, Feb. 17, 1902; died in infancy.

3. ——— (daughter), b. Feb. 12, 1905.

9. George Washington, b. Feb. 22, 1874; died April 21, 1897.

10. NORMAN ALFRED, b. June 19, 1876; unmar-

ried; resides at Burlington, Vt.

FLORENCE, b. at Champlain, N. Y., Sept. 22, 1844; m. at Hemingford, P. Q., March, 1868, Miles Latham, son of James Latham. Children:

1. MARTHA ELIZA LATHAM, b. July, 1869, at Hemingford, P. Q.; m. Theodore Rennie of Provi-

dence, R. I.

- 2. CHARLES CUSHMAN LATHAM, b. at San Francisco, Cal., about 1878; m. Ada Greenhalge at Providence, R. I., about 1900.
- 130. David Corbin (Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 16, 1766, at Woodstock; m. Mary Bugbee, dau. of Jedediah Bugbee of Union, who was a Revolutionary soldier and d. of camp fever in New York, Oct. 24, 1776, æ. 35. David Corbin moved from the western part of Woodstock to Union, Conn., in 1795. He d. March 12, 1841. She d. March 24, 1855. Both are buried in the East Cemetery at Union.

### Children:

v.

286. i. Asa, b. at Woodstock, March 24, 1793.

287. ii. BENJAMIN, b. at Woodstock, Oct. 20, 1794.

iii. ELIAS, b. at Union, May 25, 1797; m. Bethiah Beebe. One son, David; m. ——— Clapp.

288. iv. Eleazer, b. May 5, 1799.

289. v. NATHAN, b. Aug. 11, 1801.

290. vi. Polly, b. Dec. 25, 1804.

291. vii. Anna, b. Aug. 28, 1809.

131. Amasa Corbin (Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. 1772, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. Rebecca Hayward, dau. of John and Rebecca (Peake) Hayward (or Howard) of North Ashford, Conn. He removed from Woodstock to Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., where he d. Jan. 7, 1829. She d. Sept. 3, 1824, æ. 52.

292. i. Amos, b. July 5, 1795.

ii. LYDIA, b. Sept. 11, 1798; m. Parley K. Barnes, Jan. 29, 1832; he was b. Sept. 12, 1803, and d. Nov. 21, 1873. She d. Feb. 14, 1875, in Monroe County, N. Y.

iii. PALMER, b. March 17, 1800; moved to Trumbull County, Ohio, about 1830.

293. iv. Lucina, b. Jan. 19, 1806.

294. v. Whitman, b. April 5, 1807.

vi. Annis, b. Aug. 13, 1813; d. March 31, 1895, in Monroe County, N. Y.

132. Sylvia Corbin (Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 20, 1775, at Woodstock; m. Marcus Bugbee, son of Jedediah and Molly (Hiscox) Bugbee of Union, and brother of Mary Bugbee, who m. David Corbin. Sylvia C. Bugbee d. April 20, 1828.

### Children:

i. NEWMAN BUGBEE, b. Dec. 18, 1798.

ii. Polly Bugbee, b. Jan. 3, 1801; m. Porter Vinton, July 27, 1828.

iii. JASON BUGBEE, b. Feb. 7, 1803.

iv. Arminia Bugbee, b. March 11, 1805.

v. Loring Bugbee, b. April 20, 1807.

vi. ELIJAH BUGBEE, b. April 3, 1809.

vii. WILLARD BUGBEE, b. June 18, 1811.

viii. PERMILIA BUGBEE, b. Feb. 21, 1814; m. Luther Hiscox, Dec. 28, 1837; d. 1889; several ch.

ix. Annis Bugbee, b. Sept. 13, 1816; m. Charles Jackson.

x. JASPER BUGBEE, b. June 2, 1821.

xi. · Justice Bugbee, b. June 2, 1821.

133. EBENEZER CORBIN (Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 31, 1769, at Woodstock; m. Patty Goodell of Woodstock, Jan. 17, 1798. They moved to Cazenovia, Madison County, N. Y.

### Child:

295. i. WILLIAM DOLIVER, b. Feb. 17, 1814.

134. Henry Corbin (Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. March 11, 1771; m. Betsey Corbin (William, Philip, James, ('lement'). The first six children were b. in Woodstock, after which the family went west.

- i. ZENAS, b. Dec. 6, 1797.
- ii. POLLY, b. Oct. 28, 1799.
- iii. EMILY, b. Feb. 5, 1800.
- iv. Moses, b. Feb. 18, 1804.
- v. Dolly, b. Aug. 19, 1806.
- vi. WILLIAM, b. Dec. 11, 1809.
- vii. Triphena.
- 135. LUTHER CORBIN (Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez. Clement), b. Feb. 18, 1775, at Woodstock; m. Olive Stowell Feb. 6, 1803. She was b. April 2, 1779, and d. June 13, 1829. He d. at New Woodstock, N. Y., Aug. 5, 1848.

### Children:

- i. Soranus, b. Nov. 20, 1803; d. Sept. 26, 1825.
- ii. Samantha, b. Feb. 6, 1806; m. John Kenyon; she d. Jan. 29, 1859. Son, J. S. Kenyon, Emporia, Kansas.
- iii. Anna, b. Jan. 12, 1809; m. Jared Morse; d. Aug. 11, 1856. Son, J. J. Morse, New Woodstock, N. Y.
- 296. iv. EUNICE, b. April 24, 1810.
  - v. Philetta, b. Jan. 21, 1813; d. March 21, 1813.
- 297. vi. CALVIN LUTHER, b. April 29, 1814.
- 298. vii. Lucius Stowell, b. July 31, 1817.
- 299. viii. Samuel C., b. April 26, 1820.
  - ix. MARY, b. May 14, 1823; m —— Peckham; d. Sept. 4, 1885; son lived at De Ruyter, N. Y.
- 136. Sylvester Corbin (Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 17, 1771; m., 1st, Eunice White, May 2, 1796; she d. Dec. 17, 1827, æ. 48. He m., 2d, Nancy Hunt, Aug. 24, 1833. He d. July 12, 1836. Nancy H. Corbin d. March, 1836.

- 300. i. Ezra W., b. Feb. 20, 1797.
  - ii. RICHMOND, b. July 18, 1798; d. March 24, 1852; unm.; a bright and eccentric man; in lumber business.
- 301. iii. PATIENCE, b. Jan. 28, 1801.
- 302. iv. WILLIAM W., b. Feb. 23, 1803.
  - v. SQUIRE W., b. April 19, 1806; m. Almeda Gates; he was a physician; removed to Michigan. Children all dead:
    - 1. Sylvester.
    - 2. SQUIRE.
    - 3. Addie.
- 137. SAMUEL CORBIN, JR. (Samuel, Robert, Jabez,

Clement), b. Aug. 23, 1772; m. Eunice Bennett. She was b. Sept. 21, 1779. They lived at Bainbridge, Chenango County, N. Y. He d. Sept. 22 or 24, 1821, at Middle Bainbridge, N. Y. She d. Sept. 1, 1860, at Bennettsville, N. Y.

## Children:

i. Susannah, b. June 17, 1798; d. June 24, 1799.

303. ii. SALLY, b. April 19, 1800.

iii. HIRAM, b. March 29, 1802; d. Dec. 2, 1833. iv. Freeman, b. April 15, 1804; d. Aug. 6, 1829.

304. v. Susan, b. Feb. 19, 1806.

305. vi. ELIZABETH, b. Oct. 15, 1808.

306. vii. ROBERT, b. Dec. 30, 1811. 307. viii. Lyman B., b. April 15, 1813.

ix. ALLEN, b. April 21, 1815; d. Nov. 3, 1829.

308. x. Joseph, b. May 21, 1817. 309. xi. Lydia B., b. Aug. 17, 1819.

310. xii. SAMUEL, b. March 31, 1822.

138. Benjamin Corbin (Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 19, 1787, at Seekonk, Mass.; m. Mary Bowen Nov. 17, 1814, at Seekonk. She was b. Feb. 1, 1787, and d. Jan. 5, 1851, at Seekonk. He d. at Lisbon, Conn., March 31, 1848.

### Children:

311. i. Simeon Bowen, b. Nov. 1, 1815.

ii. Susan, b. Jan. 28, 1817, at Seekonk; d. July 11, 1846, at Lisbon, Conn.

iii. Hannah, b. Feb. 13, 1818, at Seekonk; d. Feb. 12, 1820, at Smithfield, R. I.

312. iv. Benjamin, Jr., b. June 13, 1819, at Smithfield, R. I.

- v. WILLIAM, b. April 1, 1822, at Smithfield; m. Jan. 11, 1847, at Willimantic; d. Sept. 23, 1849, at Willimantic.
- vi. MARY ADELINE, b. May 11, 1824, at Smithfield.
- vii. George Alpheus, b. Dec. 28, 1825, at Woodstock.
- viii. HENRY, b. May 10, 1827, at Woodstock, was a soldier in the regular army; d. at Ft. Smith, Ark., June 7, 1851.
- ix. Frances, b. Oct. 16, 1830, at Windham; d. Nov. 19, 1848, at Lisbon, Conn.
- 139. Samuel Corbin (Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. about 1780 in Woodstock; m. 1st, Betsey Barber; m., 2d, Laura Corbin, Feb. 15, 1849 (Woodstock Town Records). He lived in Thompson and Woodstock, Conn., and d. about 1863.

- i. Candace, m. Joseph Lawrence of Killingly, March 5, 1827.
- 313. ii. ISAAC, b. June, 1811.
- 314. iii. LARNED, b. April 20, 1819, at Thompson.
  - iv. Nancy, b. Nov. 20, 1820, in R. I.; m. George G. Cutler, Dec. 25, 1839; he d. March 9, 1843. She m., 2d, Theodore Sikes, Jr., Jan. 1, 1848, at Ludlow, Mass. They moved to Cuba, N. Y., where he d. May 8, 1904. She d. there Jan. 28, 1888. Children of 1st husband, George H. Cutler, d. April 6, 1895; John W. Cutler, d. Sept. 10, 1848. Children of 2d husband, Charles, Laforest, Theodore, Annie E. (m. Wright, res., Warrenville, Conn.). Spencer O., Benjamin, John W. Sikes.
- 315. v. HEZEKIAH (twin), b. June 22, 1827.
  - vi. JEREMIAH (twin), b. June 22, 1827; d. about 1865, in Woonsocket, R. I.; left a son, Albert, and a day.
  - vii. CHESTER, b. April 22, 1833; m. Diantha Baker of Ashford, Feb. 10, 1856; lives at Monson, Mass.; has a son Chester.
- 140. WILLIAM CORBIN (Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. April 9, 1800; m. Renna Dagget, who was b. May 6, 1801. He d. Nov. 1, 1882. She d. Nov. 27, 1861.

- 316. i. GEORGE N., b. June 18, 1821.
  - ii. Almira D., b. April 5, 1826; m. Lewis Chapman; d. Aug. 13, 1882.
  - iii. JoEL M., b. Oct. 13, 1828; m. Sarah E. Goward of N. H.; d. Sept. 29, 1899.
  - iv. Susan J., b. June 4, 1831; m. Stanton J. Smith of Johnston, R. I.; d. Feb. 23, 1868.
  - v. WILLIAM H., b. April 7, 1834; m. Christina Stephens; res., Georgiaville. R. I.
  - vi. AMY A., b. Oct. 17, 1838; m., Ist, Abraham Salisbury; 2d, Owen Evans; res., Pawtucket, R. I.
  - vii. James E., b. Dec. 12, 1842; m., 1st. Ellen Bowen; 2d, Mary E. Pratt; d. Feb. 21, 1896.
  - viii. ELVIRA R., b. March 10, 1846; m. James A. Eddy; res., Glocester, R. I. Children:
    - 1. MARY E. EDDY, b. Jan. 28, 1869.
    - 2. MYRA L. EDDY, b. April 21, 1871; d. Sept. 21, 1872.
      - 3. VIRA G. EDDY, b. Aug. 10, 1873.
      - 4. JAMES E. EDDY, b. Jan. 15, 1876.
    - 5. FANNY M. EDDY, b. May 6, 1879; d. Feb. 27, 1900.
      - 6. ETHEL R. EDDY, b. June 23, 1884.
- 141. James Corbin (Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clem-

ent), m. Betsey Johnson Jan. 30, 1820. They lived at Stafford, Conn. He d. about 1837 from an accident.

### Children:

317. i. AHOLIAB JOHNSON, b. Jan. 20, 1823.

ii. ELIZARETH, d. unm.

iii. FANNY LARNED, d. unm.

142. DIADAMA CORBIN (Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), m. Perley Sanger. Lived in Woodstock.

### Children:

John, Abiel, Henry, James, Olive, Harriet, Susan, Emeline, and Lucy Sanger. Harriet Sanger m. her cousin, Aholiab Corbin, above.

## SIXTH GENERATION.

143. EZBOND CORBIN (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 11, 1800, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Lucretia Howe of Springfield, Vt. (b. 1804). She d. April 8, 1845. He m., 2d, Mrs. Roxana Carlton, widow of Lewis Carlton, who d. in 1836, and whose father was with Gen. Washington. Ezbond Corbin d. Dec. 22, 1876, at Union City, Mich. All the children were born at Charlestown, N. H., where the family resided until about 1849, when Mary went to Union City. Her twin sister soon followed, and as Union City seemed like a goodly heritage, the rest of the family all colonized there, and most of them live there to the present time.

## Children:

318. i. Horace, b. April 16, 1828.

319. ii. MARY (twin), b. Oct. 16, 1829.

320. iii. MARTHA (twin), b. Oct. 16, 1829.

iv. Lucy, b. 1831; d. 1835. Coming home at night from her first day at school, delighted with what she had seen and heard, in her eagerness to tell her mother, she stepped backward and sat down in a pail of boiling suds and was so severely scalded that she lived but a few hours.

321. v. Henry Bacon, b. Oct. 20, 1833.

vi. John Chamberlain, b. 1835; was a soldier in the Civil War; had typhoid fever and went home on furlough, but returned to service before his health was fully established, and d. suddenly from over-exertion at Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 27, 1863, aged 28. His body was brought home and buried in the Riverside Cemetery, Union City. The Corbin Post, G. A. R., of Union City was named in his honor.

vii. FANNY BOWEN, b. Sept. 20, 1837; came to Union City in 1855; m. Augustus C. Moseley, Nov. 6, 1856; he was b. in Pittsfield, Mass., May 6, 1835. They had two ch., both of whom d. in infancy. He is a farmer at Union City, Mich.

322. viii. SILAS BOND, b. Nov. 7, 1839.

ix. SARAH JANE, b. Oct. 18, 1841; m. Charles E. Ewers, who was b. in Manlius, N. Y., April 24, 1835, and

d. in Union City, Mich., March 30, 1891. She d. April 17, 1863.

323. x. SAMUEL, b. July 5, 1843.

- xi. Lucretia, b. March 31, 1845; d. in 1870 at Union City.
- 144. ICHABOD CORBIN (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 12, 1802, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Mary Ann Bruce, dau. of John and Betsey (Kenedy) Bruce, March 16, 1824. She was b. Aug. 8, 1803. He d. at Charlestown, N. H.

# Children b. at Charlestown, N. H.:

i. George, b. Dec. 24, 1824; served as quartermastersergeant in the Mexican and Civil wars; m. Mary J. Hallam; resided in Cincinnati, O.; d. in Charlestown, N. H.

ii. Otis, d. in infancy.

- iii. Calista, b. Sept. 23, 1826; m. Alpheus Emery of Worcester, Vt.; 8 ch.
- iv. LUTHER, b. July 20, 1830; m. Susan Buchanan; res., Boston; d. there; no ch.
- v. CALVIN, d. young.

vi. MARY, d. young.

vii. John, d. young.

- 324. viii. James Willard, b. Nov. 19, 1835.
  - ix. Marcia Willard, b. Aug. 30, 1837; m. Austin Stiles of Middlesex. Vt.; 5 ch.

x. HARRIET, b. Feb., 1840; d. Feb. 15, 1849.

- xi. Mary Jane, b. April 2, 1842; m. Napoleon Dillebar of New Haven, Oct. 3, 1874. Ch., Edwin Forrest Dillebar.
- 325. xii. Chauncey Leonard, b. July 11, 1844.
  - xiii. Charles E., b. April 15, 1848; d. Feb. 15, 1855.
- 145. John Corbin (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. 1804; m. Caroline Corbin, dau. of Ebenezer Corbin, 1829. They resided at Warren, Pa., for a time. He d. in 1872.

- i. FANNY, b. 1831.
- ii. HARRIET, b. 1833; m. Albert G. Graham, 1853.
- iii. Eliza, b. 1837; m. Otis Thompson, 1853.
- iv. HENRY, b. 1840, d. 1856.
- v. George, b. 1843, d. 1861.
- vi. EMERY, b. 1844.
- vii. CHARLES N., b. 1847; d. 1865; served in 14th New Hampshire Infantry from Dec. 22, 1863, to July 8, 1865.
- viii. Frank, b. 1853; is unm.; address, Claremont, N. H.

146. MEHITABLE CORBIN (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 10, 1811, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Alfred Tutherly; d. Jan. 17, 1866.

### Children:

- i. Charles Briggs Tutherly; he has been assistant postmaster for many years at Brooklyn, N. Y., where he resides.
- ii. CAROLINE E. TUTHERLY; m. Henry Seymour of Union City, Mich. He was b. in Oneida County, N. Y., in 1836; went to Union City in 1845; served three years in the Civil War; and has since engaged in the grocery trade, and is now the county treasurer. They have three children: John Corbin Seymour, in the dry goods business at Sherwood, Mich.; George Seymour, in the bank of that town; and Cora E. Seymour, a graduate of the State Normal Conservatory at Ypsilanti, Mich., and a teacher of music and drawing in the public schools.
- iii. ELIZABETH TUTHERLY; m. Edward H. Putnam of Charlestown, N. H.; he died, leaving one dau.
- 147. Samuel Newell Corbin (Clement, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 3, 1813; m. Sarah Keen, dau. of John and Betsey Keen, and a native of England; she d. Jan. 5, 1854. He m., 2d, Mary J. Sanborn, dau. of James F. and Mary E. (Meserve) Sanborn of Franklin, N. H., and widow of William E. Fletcher; she was b. Dec. 12, 1829. His occupation was house-painting.

- i. MARY JANE, b. Nov. 9, 1853; d. July, 1855.
- ii. SARAH J., b. Nov. 26, 1862; m. Dr. John Judkins of Northfield, Vt.
- 326. iii. WILIAM EUGENE, b. March 15, 1869.
- 148. Jane Grey Corbin (Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 17, 1821; m. John Johnson of Unity, N. H. She d. at Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 12, 1903, at the home of her dau., Mrs. D. W. Greene. She was buried at her former home at Charlestown, N. H. She was a Daughter of the Revolution and a member of the Ashley chapter of Claremont, N. H. She was one of the latest survivors of the actual children of Revolutionary soldiers.

- i. Louisa Jane Johnson, m. George Milliken.
- ii. MARTIN JOHNSON, killed in Boston.
- iii. Leland Johnson, d. young.
- iv. Ezbond Johnson.
- v. ZACHERY TAYLOR JOHNSON, lived in Boston.
- 149. CHARLES CORBIN (Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), m. Rebecca Daggett; resided at Warren, Pa., where he was burned to death with his two youngest children, March 10, 1849.

### Children:

i. MARY JOSLIN, b. March 21, 1829; m. ——— Billings; res., S. Apalachin.

ii. George, res., Apalachin.

- iii. Susan, b. 1831; m., 1st Benjamin Conant; 2d, Andrew Hales.
- iv. Maria, m. Wm. Forsyth of Owego, a painter.

v. Charles, d. March 10, 1849.

vi. EBENEZER, d. March 10, 1849.

150. Nelson Corbin (Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. March, 1810, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Adaline Maria Austin, dau. of Isaac and Sarah Austin, Jan. 1, 1841. He lived in Charlestown, N. H., until he was 27 years of age, and then moved to Warren, Pa., where he was a mason, and d. Aug. 19, 1886 (?). He was called "Short Nelse," to distinguish him from "Tall Nelse" (Nelson, Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). His widow, who was b. June 16, 1819, resides at Warren, Pa.

# Children b. at Warren, Pa.:

327. i. CLARENCE EUGENE, b. Oct. 16, 1842.

328. ii. Isaac Newell, b. 1845.

329. iii. FLORA DELPHINE, b. April 19, 1847.

330. iv. Lucy Emeline, b. about 1849.

331. v. ARTHUR LEVELLE, b. 1850.

- vi. ELLA KATRINE, d. April, 1879. 332. vii. Horace William, b. Sept. 6, 1860.
- 333. viii. HERMAN SHOWERS, b. July 2, 1861.
- 151. Joshua Corbin (Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 17, 1800, at Worcester, Mass.; m. Mirandus Durphey, who was b. May, 1806, and d. Dec. 10, 1858; he m., 2d, Nelly Lake, in 1862. He moved to Warren, Pa., in 1835, where he was a farmer.

- i. Lewis Durphey, b. May, 1827; m. Ann ——; became a Mormon, moved to Utah, and settled four miles from Salt Lake City; no ch.
- 334. ii. Lucy, b. Dec. 31, 1828, in Massachusetts.
  - iii. ELANA, b. 1830; m. Andrew Jackson; went west. Children: Josie and Lineon Jackson.
  - iv. Horace G., b. 1832; m. Pluma Currier; res., Warren. Children:
    - 1. RACHEL, m. Warren Stanton; 3 ch.
    - 2. HELEN, m. George Pennell; 2 ch.
    - 3. HENRY, m. May Howard; res., Warren Center.
      - 4. John.
  - v. Henry, b. 1834; m. Mariette Lake. Ch.: William, and Sarah, who m. ——— Johnson.
  - vi. ABIGAIL, m. Smith Van Ornan. Ch.: Sherman, d.; Carrie, d.; Addie Belle, m. James Wheaton; and Bertha, m. Arthur Irons of New York city.
- 335. vii. Sarah Ann.
  - viii. ELIZA, m. William Dennis Van Ornan, a shoemaker at Potterville; he was a soldier in the 141st Penn. Regt. in the Civil War. Ch.: Alferetta, m. Harry Morgan of Orwell; Minnie, m. ———— Coats of Greenwood, Pa.; Louise, Maud, Clara, Frank, and Fred Van Ornan.
  - ix. LEVI, m. and went to Neb.
- 336. x. Anna M., b. Feb. 19, 1849.
  Also Leura and Laura, twins, d. young.
- 152. HENRY CORBIN (Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), of Upton, Mass.; m. Jemima Vail of Upton in 1826; she d. 1839. He d. at Northbridge, Mass., 1858.

- ii. Susan Cordelia, b. 1827; m. Henry S. Williams; she d. April 14, 1877. No. ch.
- iii. MARY ELIZABETH, b. July 1, 1834, at Mendon, Mass.; m. Charles Henry Tracy in Upton, Mass., Dec. 27, 1853. She d. March 6, 1905, at Charlestown, Mass. Children:
  - 1. OLIVER EDWARDS TRACY, b. July 8, 1866, at Chicopee, Mass.
  - 2. NELLIE ADAMS TRACY, b. Aug. 14, 1872, at Chicopee.
  - Res., 38 Green St., Charlestown, Mass.
- 337. iv. Lewis Decaton, b. in Mendon, Mass.
- 153. Alonzo D. Corbin (Thomas, Clement, Clem-

ent, James, Clement), b. Feb. 7, 1805; m. Mary Ann Prince, dau. of Joseph Prince, Oct. 26, 1831; she was b. June 6, 1813, and d. April 28, 1871. He was a farmer at Warren, Pa., where he d. Sept. 15, 1889.

### Children:

i. Almira, b. Aug. 2, 1833; m. Jonathan Ross, April 10, 1852; lives in Montana.

ii. Mary Jane, b. July 24, 1835; m. Ira Michael Dawley, Aug. 13, 1850; they resided at Binghamton; she d. Oct., 1903. Children: Stephen, Ella, and Mary Dawley.

iii. Lucinda, b. May 14, 1840; d. June, 1840.

338. iv. Alfred B., b. May 5, 1841.

v. Lucy Ann, b. Feb. 12, 1847; d. June 14, 1853.

154. Lewis Corbin (Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 7, 1807; m. Cynthia Jane Prince, dau. of Joseph Stiles Prince, Nov. 17, 1831. She was b. July 22, 1814, at Amherst, N. H. They moved west to Argyle, Wis.

### Children:

- i. HANNAH MARIA, b. Aug. 28, 1832; d. April 27, 1837.
- ii. Granville Morgan, b. April 22, 1834; went south.

iii. Benjamin Ellinore, b. March 12, 1838.

- iv. AMELIA ANN, b. March 6, 1836; m. Richard Rockefeller; res., Moville, Ia.
- v. MARY EMELINE, b. March 26, 1840; d. Feb. 23, 1865.
- vi. Lydia Jane, b. Jan. 13, 1843; m. Van Ornan. Address, Moville, Ia.
- vii. ASHEL MORTIMER, b. Sept. 8, 1845. Address, Fairfield, N. C.
- viii. Mirandas, b. July 14, 1847; d. Jan. 15, 1854.

ix. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. Aug. 4, 1849.

- x. Asher Augustus, b. April 22, 1851; d. Aug. 13, 1851.
- xi. CAROLINE NANCY, b. Jan. 30, 1853; m. Spears. Address, Blanchardville, Wis.
- 155. ANGELINE PRINCE CORBIN (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 28, 1818; m. William Clark Bowen Sept. 12, 1845, by Rev. James Hodge of Warren. They lived at Warren, Pa., where he was a blacksmith and farmer. He d. in 1901.

#### Children:

i. ABBIE ANN BOWEN, b. July 8, 1846; m. Burr Decker; he d. She lives in Buffalo, N. Y.

- ii. Anson Harlow Bowen, b. June 25, 1848; m. Cornelia Stephens; four ch. Res., Warren Center, Pa., 1904.
- iii. SARAH MIRANDA BOWEN, b. Oct. 14, 1850; m. Lafayette Dickerson; one child, Jessie; she d.
- iv. WILLIAM BOWEN, b. Oct. 15, 1855; d. Aug., 1874.

156. PHILIP ROGERS CORBIN (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 2, 1820, at Warren, Pa.; m., 1st, Nancy Arnold, dau. of Hiram Arnold; she d. in 1856. He m., 2d, Harriet Smith, in 1858. He lives at Argyle, Wis. P. O. address, Blanchardville, Wis.

## Children of 1st wife:

- i. SARAH S., b. Jan. 23, 1848; m. Joseph Brown. Res., Browns Valley, Minn.
- ii. Myron S., b. 1850; m. Kate Blanchard. Res., Lily, Day County, S. Dakota.
- iii. Susan M., b. 1852; m. Martin Smith. Res., Danbury, Ia.
- iv. Ellen M., b. Dec. 26, 1854; m. Dickerson Rogers. Res., Finley, Wis.

### Children of 2d wife:

- v. Mary A., b. May 23, 1859; m. Samuel Killham, Dec. 14, 1881. Res., St. Edward, Neb.
- vi. MINNIE A., b. Jan. 23, 1861; m. Alpheus Beeney, Jan. 19, 1893. Res., Lily, Day County, S. Dakota.
- vii. Lucy A., b. Jan. 1, 1863; m. William Killham, Dec. 14, 1881. Res., Eaton, Col.
- viii. Joseph M., b. Sept. 17, 1866 (or 1865); m. Kate Robinson in 1889. Three ch.: Lucy A., Lily E., and McKinley T. Res., New Rome, Wis.
- ix. Philip C., b. April 2, 1868; m. Mae Nolton, March 21, 1898. She d. Dec. 30, 1901.
- x. Annie S., b. Feb. 17, 1870; d. Feb. 13, 1898.

156½. Jacob B. Corbin (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 25, 1830, at Warren, Pa.; m. Lucy Smith July 3, 1856. She was the dau. of Platt and Sarah (Kendall) Smith and was b. Oct. 19, 1838. He was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting Aug. 27, 1861, and being in Company H, 8th Wisconsin Vol. Infantry, "The Old Eagle Regiment." He was honorably discharged as corporal, Sept. 16, 1864. His military record was a brilliant one, being in thirty battles, among them Frederickstown, Island No. 10, Corinth, Iuka, Mechanicsville, Nashville, and the siege of Vicksburg. He

resided at Blanchardville, town of Argyle, Wis., where he was a successful farmer. He d. July 3, 1900.

### Children:

- i ANGELINE, b. March 10, 1858; m. William Baker; d. Jan. 26, 1882, near Blanchardville.
- 157. Chauncey H. Corbin (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 24, 1808, at Warren, Pa.; m. Violaty Gaylord Feb. 3, 1830; she was b. July 13, 1812, in Wyalusing, Pa., and d. Oct. 5, 1896. Lived in Albany, Bradford County, Pa. He d. April 22, 1884. The first child was b. at Warren, the next four at Wyalusing, and the rest at Albany, Pa.

### Children:

- i. Hepburn, b. Oct. or Nov. 20, 1831; d. May 17, 1832.
- 339. ii. Ellen Elizabeth, b. Feb. 15, 1833.
- 340. iii. Olive Melvina, b. Dec. 13, 1834.
- 341. iv. ORRIN AUGUSTUS, b. Nov. 12, 1836.
  - v. OSCAR WILLINGTON, b. Nov. 12, 1838.
  - vi. Joseph Gaylord, b. Oct. 11, 1840; d. Jan. 31, 1878.
  - vii. PERMELIA SOPHIA, b. Oct. 24, 1842; d. Feb. 17, 1866.
- 342. viii. John Leroy, b. Nov. 24, 1844.
- 343. ix. William Pierce, b. Nov. 15, 1846.
- 344. x. LUDD DELANSON, b. May 21, 1849; d. March 26, 1887. xi. LUCY VIOLETTE, b. Jan. 29, 1852; d. Dec. 29, 1881.
- 158. IRA W. CORBIN (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 15, 1811, at Warren, Pa.; m. Betsey Elizabeth Sharts March 5, 1835. He taught school every winter from the age of 17 to 68—52 terms. He was also a farmer at Warren and Potterville, Pa. He d. at Potterville Aug. 23, 1898. She was burned to death Feb. 11, 1905.

### Children:

345. i. George Gamble, b. Jan. 6, 1837.

- ii. Pamelia, b. Dec. 18, 1839; d. Oct. 31, 1863.
- iii. JACOB BURBANK, b. April 26, 1841; d. Dec. 29, 1860.

346. iv. John Leroy, b. Aug. 23, 1845.

- v. EMMA ADELL, b. March 29, 1848; m. James Lewis of Towanda, Pa., where they live at 210 William St. Ch.: J. Raymond, Jennie May, Mary, George C., Bessie, Paul, Marguerite, Katherine, and Lana Lewis.
- vi. Mary Amanda, b. May 30, 1850; m. F. M. Wells; they now reside at 11 State St., Ossining, N. Y. Ch.: Aldie Marie Wells.

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- vii. Frank (dau.), b. Oct. 27, 1864; m. George Chamberlain, a harness-maker at Towanda. Ch.: Ira Corbin Chamberlain, resides at Canton, Pa.
- 159. WILLIAM FOSTER CORBIN (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 13, 1813; m. Nancy M. Easterbrooks March 8, 1838, at Leraysville, Pa., by Rev. Elisha Bibbins. She was b. Sept. 27, 1815. He d. May 2, 1887, at West Warren, Pa.

- i. HEPBURN, b. Nov. 24, 1838; d. Feb. 14, 1861.
- 347. ii. DIANA ALICE, b. Oct. 29, 1840.
  - iii. Andrew Lott, b. March 12, 1843; d. Sept. 27, 1860.
  - iv. EZEKIEL PHELPS, b. Aug. 2, 1845; m. Mrs. Jane E. Rice of Harford, N. Y. One dau., Grace, m.
- 348. v. Chauncy Joslyn, b. Nov. 29, 1847.
- 349. vi. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. July 8, 1850.
- 350. vii. WEALTHY ANN, b. Jan. 28, 1854.
- 160. Daniel Hill Corbin (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 31, 1816; m. Harriet Adams. Lived near Wyalusing, Pa., for many years. About 1867 moved to Chatsworth, Livingstone County, Ill. He d. by accident, drinking potash which he mistook for soup. He was a river pilot for many years.

## Children (in part):

- i. Orlando; d. in Civil War.
- ii. John D.; was a soldier in Civil War. Res., 117 Virginia Ave., Peoria, Ill.
- iii. Douglass J.; res., 915 W. Third St., Dayton, Ohio. iv. Josephine: was educated in the public and normal schools of Illinois, taught in that state for several years, and in 1883 went as a missionary to Chili.
  - schools of Illinois, taught in that state for several years, and in 1883 went as a missionary to Chili, S. America, where she labored, and in Argentina and Uruguay for one year, when she came home for treatment for dull hearing, and had to give up returning on account of the effects of the climate. In 1891 she entered the Methodist Deaconess' Home in Philadelphia, and in 1893 was ordained a deaconess. She remained in the Home in Philadelphia for eight years, and then had charge of the Deaconess' Home at Jersey City for a year, and of the Immigrant Girls' Home at No. 9 State St., New York, for three years. She is now traveling over the United States in the interests of the Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society. "This is my twentieth year in missionary work and I love it with all my heart." Address, 74 Cookman St., Ocean Grove, N. J.

161. Dr. John L. Corbin (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 26, 1819; m. Mary Ann Tozer Feb. 20, 1850; she was the dau. of Julius and Meribah Tozer, and was b. July 21, 1826. Dr. Corbin studied medicine with Dr. Phelps at Owego, N. Y., and afterwards received the degree of M.D. from the Hahnemann Medical College of Chicago. He practiced first in what is now E. Waverly, N. Y., at Towanda, Pa., with Dr. Shepard Pratt, and then for the greater part of his life at Athens, Pa. He was a skillful and highly esteemed physician and had a wide practice in all the country around Athens. He d. Nov. 30, 1899.

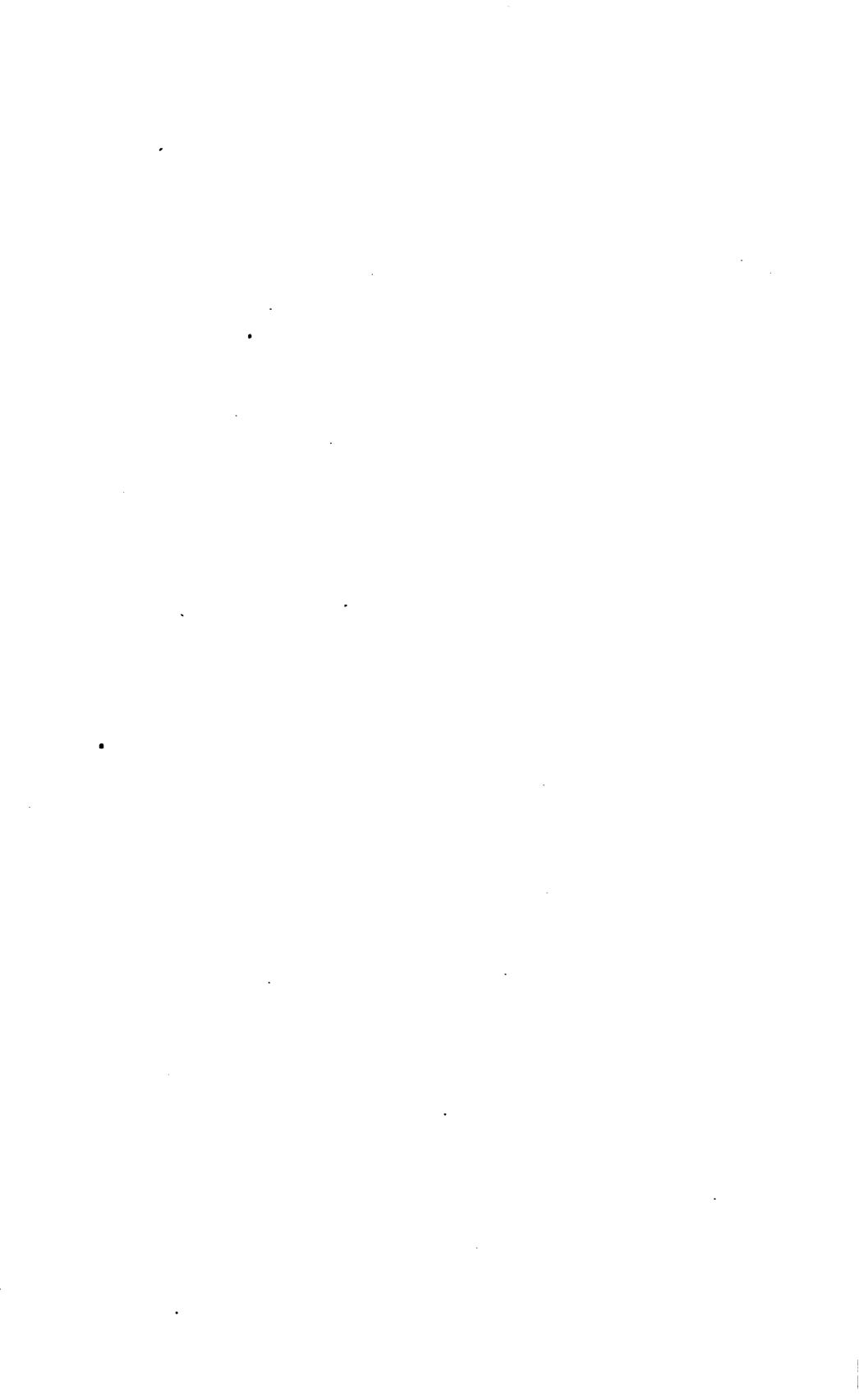
### Children:

- i. MARY AMELIA, b. April 21, 1854; d. July 6, 1860.
- ii. Annadelle, b. Feb. 1, 1857; m. Prof. William H. Benedict, Dec. 31, 1883. He taught at Towanda, Pa., and is now principal of a school at Elmira. N. Y. Address, 508 W. Third St., Elmira. Children:
  - 1. HOWARD C. BENEDICT.
  - 2. JOHN L. BENEDICT.
  - 3. JULIUS T. BENEDICT.
  - 4. MARY E. BENEDICT.
  - 5. FRANK ADRIANCE BENEDICT.
- iii. Julius Tozer, b. March 15, 1860; he was educated at the Athens Academy and at Lafayette College, where he graduated in 1881; he studied law with Diven & Redfield of Elmira and was admitted to the bar in 1884. He remained with Diven & Redfield two years and has since practiced at Athens. He is unmarried.
- iv. John Elwood, b. Feb. 1, 1866; d. July 31, 1866.
- v. IDA WINIFRED, b. Aug. 18, 1872; graduated from the Park School at Athens and in music from Elmira College. She resides at Athens.
- 162. Lucy Saxton Corbin (Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 23, 1822; m. George Sylvester Gorham Jan. 30, 1850; he was the son of Joseph and Lucy (Beecher) Gorham of New Haven. They lived at Leraysville, Pa. He d. Feb. 14, 1888. His widow lives at Lestershire, N. Y., with her dau. Helen.

### Children:

i. George Elmer Gorham, b. Nov. 8, 1850; m. Jane Rose Hopkins of Albany, Oct. 17, 1882. Dr. George E. Gorham was educated in the high schools at Leraysville and Waverly, and studied medicine

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with his uncle, Dr. Corbin of Athens, and at the Hahnemann Medical College at Chicago, where he graduated in 1874. He practiced at Athens, Pa., Cheyenne, Wyoming, and then in 1878 settled at Albany, where he has since practiced. He is a very skillful and highly esteemed physician, a member and officer in several medical societies, and a contributor of papers of value to medical literature. He invented the "Gorham Adjustable Bed." He is a deacon and trustee of the Congregational Church at Albany. Address, 214 State St., Albany, N. Y. Children:

1. LEMUEL WHITTINGTON GORHAM, b. June 20,

1885.

2. GEORGE TALCOTT GORHAM, b. Dec. 28, 1887. ii. OLIVER GORHAM, b. Feb. 14, 1852; m. Flora Hutchinson of Orwell; he was a farmer at Leraysville, Pa. He d. May, 1894. Children:

1. Frank W. Gorham, b. July 21, 1878.

2. CLAUDE G. GORHAM, b. June 2, 1889.
iii. Frank Sweet Gorham, b. March 27, 1854; m., but has no ch. He is in the mercantile business at Salt Lake City.

iv. Helen M. Gorham, b. Feb. 22, 1857; m. Edgar H. Codding, Jan. 30, 1884. He is in the real estate business, residing at Lestershire, N. Y. No ch.

v. WILLIAM LEROY GORHAM, b. Sept. 16, 1858; d. March

16, 1859.

vi. Andrew J. Gorham, b. Oct. 30, 1860; m. Maude Smith, Oct. 14, 1899; no ch. He is in the office of the Troy Steam Laundry at Salt Lake City.

vii. James E. Gorham, b. Jan. 1, 1863; d. Sept. 14, 1863.

163. Nelson D. Corbin (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. March 1, 1815, at Warren, Pa.; m. Sarah Iveson, dau. of Rev. John and Jane (Thecket) Iveson of Warren, in 1846; she was b. June 28, 1820, at Milford, Pike County, Pa., and d. Feb. 26, 1889. He was a farmer and dealer in wool, residing at Owego, N. Y., and Warren, Pa. He was called "Tall Nelse," to distinguish him from his cousin of the same name and place. He d. Jan. 10, 1878.

# Children b. at Warren, Pa.:

351. i. Ernest Albert Morrison, b. March 4, 1847.

ii. EDWARD LANCELOT. b. Feb. 11, 1850; graduated from Union College, Schenectady, N. Y.; d. unm. Jan. 10, 1896, at Foxburgh, Clarion County, Pa.

iii. Lottie Terry, b. Sept. 9, 1853; resides at Warren, Pa.; unm.

164. Sophia Healy Corbin (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 26, 1816, at Warren, Pa.;

m. Russell D. Gifford, son of Benjamin Gifford, in 1843; he was b. Jan. 16, 1816, and d. June 25, 1872. They resided at S. Owego, N. Y., where she d. Jan. 10, 1893.

### Children:

i. Charles Philander Gifford, b. May 29, 1844; m. Mary Sophia Works, dau. of Russell Works. He was a banker at Big Rapids, Mich., where he d. Feb. 6, 1872.

ii. Benjamin Gifford, b. May 19, 1846; d. Aug. 6, 1848.

iii. ROBERT LEANDER GIFFORD, b. Dec. 23, 1848; m. Emma

Bidwell; res., Minneapolis.

v. Albert Russell Gifford, b. Nov. 21, 1854; a

teacher; res., Cadis, Pa.

vi. IDA GERTRUDE GIFFORD, b. June 10, 1861; d. March 17, 1864.

165. CHARLES SUTTON CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 5, 1817, at Warren, Pa.; m. Hannah Steenberg, dau. of Peter and Dollie (Southwell) Steenberg, Feb., 1853; she was b. at Warren, Pa., Nov. 3, 1833, and d. there Jan. 4, 1885. He was a teacher, farmer, and grocer at Warren, where he d. April 12, 1904.

#### Children:

- i. CHARLES HOWARD, b. Nov. 25, 1854; went to Chicago.
- ii. Frank Lloyd, b. June 1, 1856; m. Josephine A. Chaffee, Dec. 20, 1899. He is a painter at Warren Center.
- iii. Adrian Peter, b. May 10, 1858; m. Anna ———, Dec. 4, 1890, at Fulton, Ill., where she was b. Feb. 5, 1867. Children:
  - 1. KARL, b. Sept. 24, 1891; d. July 14, 1892.

2. Helen Jane, b. June 24, 1901.

- iv. Burton Lorenzo, b. Sept. 10, 1860; m., and was killed by the cars at Cleveland, Ohio, Jan., 1892.
- v. NETTIE ANN, b. Nov. 10, 1863; m. Caleb B. Allyn, Dec. 28, 1897, at Waverly, N. Y. He was b. Jan. 24, 1850. Children:
  - 1. VIDA ADELLA ALLYN, b. Oct. 9, 1898.
  - 2. VERNA LUCILE ALLYN, b. Aug. 12, 1900.
  - 3. CLAYTON BURDETTE ALLYN, b. Oct. 1, 1902.
    THE BELL, b. April 16, 1869: is at Mt. Vernon.
- vi. HATTIE BELL, b. April 16, 1869; is at Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
- vii. Leslie Eugene, b. May 20, 1878; is at Garber, Pa.

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- 166. AARON FOSTER CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 8, 1820; m. Relief Lines, dau. of George and Eliza Corbin Lines. He went to Iowa, where he enlisted Dec. 20, 1861, at Canton, for three years as a private in Company H, 16th Regiment, Iowa Volunteer Infantry. He d. June 10, 1862, at Corinth, Miss., of general debility. He left three children. His widow afterwards remarried.
  - 167. Mariette Corbin (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 22, 1822; m. Harvey Birge Gifford, brother of Russell Gifford, and son of Benjamin and Hansey (Birge) Gifford, Sept. 29, 1851. He was b. July 26, 1824; was a farmer and music teacher at Chicago and Fort Scott, Kansas. He d. July 15, 1888. She lives in Sedalia, Mo.

### Children:

i. Anson Harvey Gifford, b. May 11, 1854, at South Owego; m. Alice Tucker of Sedalia, Mo., March 22, 1883. He is a physician at Sedalia, Mo. One son, Riffle Tucker Gifford.

ii. Corbin Aaron Gifford, b. June 16, 1856; m. Mary Swales, Sept. 22, 1883; he is a painter and farmer at Springfield, Mo. Two ch.: Alpha, and Bessie May Gifford.

iii. ARTHUR BENJ. GIFFORD, b. Aug. 11, 1859; m. Myrtie Peck of Fort Scott, Kan., June, 1884. Ch., Ralph Irving Gifford; he is a photographer at The Dalles, Oregon.

iv. Marietta Adelaide, b. Dec. 10, 1863; d. July 19, 1889.

168. John Adams Corbin (Aaron, Clement, Clement. James, Clement), b. May 12, 1825, in Warren, Bradford County, Pa.; m. Emily Ada Kelley, June 13, 1849, at Owego, N. Y. She was b. May 12, 1827, at Colesville, Broome County, N. Y., the daw of Josiah and Athalia (Dorman) Kelley, who were m. Sept. 8, 1814.

Josiah Kelley was on his mother's side a direct descendant of Israel Cole, who went from England to Barnstable, Plymouth, about 1630. Sylvanus Cole, a grandson of Israel Cole, went to Broome County, N. Y., before 1800, to a place now known as Colesville. His dau. was the mother of Josiah Kelley. Josiah Kelley's father came from Devonshire, England, before the Revolution, and lived in Putnam County, N. Y. Athalia Dorman was the dau. of Jeremias and Naomi (Green) Dorman, and gr.-dau. of John and Gulielma

(Van Rensselaer) Dorman, and gr. granddau. of Jeremias Dorman, who came from Holland, and also of Cornelius Van Rensselaer of Albany.

John A. Corbin d. April 20, 1901. His widow lives at Bradford, Pa.

### Children:

- i. SARA, b. April 3, 1850; m. Isaac Newton Bennett, 1883; res., Bradford, Pa. No ch.
- 352. ii. APPLETON KELLEY, b. Nov. 25, 1851, at Waverly, N. Y.
- 353. iii. John Arthur, b. April 19, 1853, at Waverly, N. Y. Emily Jane, Frederick, and Charles d. young.
- 169. ROBERT S. CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 22, 1827; m. Mary Ann Van Ornan; resided at W. Warren, Pa., where he was a farmer. She d. April 21, 1888.

### Children:

- i. Anna. b. Sept. 21, 1869; m. Frank Beers, June 21, 1890. He is a car inspector, residing at Waverly, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. MYRTLE BEERS, b. April 12, 1892.
  - 2. IRMA BEERS, b. Sept. 6, 1901.
- ii. Daisy, b. July 4, 1872; m. Merton Paine, a farmer at W. Warren, Pa. No ch.
- iii. Lulu, d. young.
- iv. FRED, b. Aug. 31, 1875; d. Dec. 4, 1903, at Waverly, N. Y.
- 170. ADALINE RUSSELL CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. March 21, 1829; m. Chester B. Gifford, Dec. 23, 1851. They went to California, where he died. She d. Dec. 24, 1904, at Santa Barbara, Cal.

- i. Foster C. Gifford.
- ii. Nelson Gifford.
- iii. EDWARD GIFFORD.
- iv. FRANK GIFFORD.
- v. THOMAS TERRY GIFFORD.
- vi. Fred Gifford, resides at Santa Barbara, Cal.
- vii. ELLA A. GIFFORD, m. Theron Hurlburt.
- viii. Addie Gifford.
- 171. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 22, 1832; m.

Thomas J. Terry, Dec. 30, 1852. He was the son of John Stuart and Christina (Knapp) Terry. They resided at Waverly, N. Y., where she now lives at 550 Clark St. He d. Dec. 18, 1895.

### Children:

- i. John Stuart Terry, b. April 6, 1854; d. at age of nine years.
- ii. Anna Mabel Terry, b. July 3, 1859; d. at age of five years.
- iii. Fred Stuart Terry, b. July 12, 1865; m. Susie B. Shepard, April 2, 1885. Res., Waverly, N. Y. Noch.
- iv. Walter Thomas Terry, b. July 25, 1868; m. Eliza Lynch. He is a foreman residing at Waverly, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. MABEL A. TERRY, b. Jan. 18, 1886.
  - 2. James Stuart Terry, b. March 17, 1890.
  - 3. NORMAN HUBBARD TERRY, b. May 30, 1893.
  - 4. ELSIE LOUISE TERRY, b. March 25, 1895.
    ARTHUR J. TERRY, b. Sept. 18, 1875; m. Nellie E
- v. ARTHUR J. TERRY, b. Sept. 18, 1875; m. Nellie E. Simpson, Feb. 3, 1904. Res., Waverly, N. Y.
- 172. ELLEN AMANDA CORBIN (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 20, 1836; m. William A. Chaffee, Dec. 30, 1860. He d. in the army in the Civil War. The family removed to Garber, Garfield County, Oklahoma.

#### Children:

- i. MYRTELLA M. CHAFFEE.
- ii. WILLIAM A. CHAFFEE, m. Della ——; wife d., 1904. Left child, Della Elma Chaffee, b. Aug. 6, 1903.
- 173. Rhoda Anna Corbin (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. 'Nov. 6, 1845; m. Arthur T. Merrill, July 5, 1867; he was the son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Buffington) Merrill of Warren. He is a boiler-maker at Sayre, residing at Sayre, Pa.

- i. Lena E. Merrill, b. June 4, 1868; m. H. L. Nichols, a merchant at Waverly.
- ii. MAUDE E. MERRILL, b. April 9, 1885.
- iii. LEON ARTHUR MERRILL, b. May 7, 1890.
- 174. SCHUYLER CORBIN (Parley, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 22, 1800; m. Rebecca Whitte-

more, Nov. 4, 1827, at Thompson; she was b. May 19, 1802, and d. March 8, 1869. He d. Aug. 4, 1886, at Oxford; both are buried at New Boston, town of Thompson, Conn.

### Children:

354. i. MARY JANE, b. Feb. 19, 1829.

ii. LYMAN, b. April 17, 1831; d. March 17, 1832.

iii. DOLLY F., b. Feb. 19, 1833; m. Albert Shumway of Thompson, April 28, 1850; she d. Aug. 8, 1874. No ch.

iv. Schuyler, b. Aug. 14, 1835; d. March 27, 1838.

v. Parley, b. Sept. 23, 1838; d. April 12, 1842.

vi. ELIJAH, b. Nov. 28, 1840; d. June 29, 1842.

vii. ELLEN M., b. Sept. 6, 1842; m. Henry Armstrong, June 25, 1865; she d. March 13, 1884. No issue.

viii. SARAH W., b. July 24, 1844; m. James H. Jones, Oct. 12, 1870; they have one child, Gertrude; they reside at No. 81 Sherman St., Worcester, Mass.

175. Daniel Corbin, Jr. (Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 4, 1808; m. Betsey Holcomb, June 18, 1829. She was b. Feb. 1, 1808, at Greene, N. Y., the dau. of Asel and Phæbe Holcomb. Deacon Daniel Corbin was b. in Connecticut, but early in life removed to Greene, Chenango County, N. Y., and thence in 1840 to Friendship, Allegany County, N. Y. He was a highly esteemed member and deacon of Baptist Church there, He loved the church and was always active in its work. He d. Sept. 28, 1877; she d. Feb. 27, 1884; both at Amity, N. Y. The first five children were b. at Greene and the rest at Friendship, N. Y.

- i. JANE, b. April 7, 1830; d. March 10, 1848, at Friendship.
- 355. ii. Milo H., b. Oct. 16, 1831.
- 356. iii. ROBERT H., b. June 13, 1834.
- 357. iv. Helen M., b. Aug. 24, 1836.
- 358. v. Daniel L., b. April 8, 1839.
- 359. vi. Joshua W., b. June 12, 1841.
- 360. vii. HIRAM S., b. Sept. 24, 1843.
- 361. viii. John H., b. June 13, 1846.
  - ix. WILLIAM A., b. Aug. 28, 1848; d. Oct. 10, 1867, at Friendship.
  - x. ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 14, 1851; d. ——.
- 176. Austin Corbin (James, James, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 28, 1791, at Somers, Conn.; m. Mary

Chase, dau. of Daniel Chase of Claremont, N. H., Oct. 27, 1817, at Claremont. He resided at Newport, N. H., where he was a teacher, a publisher, selectman, representative, and state senator. He was one of three to purchase The Argus newspaper and remove it from Claremont to Newport. He was a zealous promoter of liberal Christianity and was noted for his politeness and hospitality.

### Children b. at Newport, N. H.:

362. i. Lors, b. Dec. 21, 1819.

ii. MARY ANN, 1st, b. July 10, 1822; d. March 6, 1825.

iii. Daniel Chase, 1st, b. Aug. 13, 1824; d. March 12, 1825.

363. iv. Austin, b. July 11, 1827.

v. MARY ANN, 2d, b. Dec. 17, 1829; d. Oct. 28, 1847.

364. vi. Daniel Chase, 2d, b. Oct. 1, 1832.

vii. SARAH EMILY, b. Feb. 14, 1835; m. True W. Childs of Millbury, Mass., May 1, 1862. They lived at Toledo, O. Children:

1. Austin Corbin Childs, b. March 20, 1864;

d. Feb. 19, 1892.

2. GRACE CHILDS, b. May, 1870; m. Dr. Otto Marx of Toledo, Ohio.

305. viii. James, b. March 24, 1838.

177. Lois Corbin (James, James, James, James, Clement), b. Jan. 19, 1794, at Newport, N. H.; m., March 22, 1812, Hon. Eleazer Jackson of Cornish, N. H. He was a judge of probate in Sullivan County, N. H., county commissioner, state senator, and a popular and influential man in his town of Cornish, N. H.

#### Children:

i. Louisa Jackson, b. Jan. 6, 1813; m. Dr. John L. Blanchard, who d. in 1861. She d. 1872.

ii. Marietta Jackson, b. June 3, 1815; m., 1st, Stephen Ford; m., 2d, S. E. Moulton. D. Nov. 28, 1878, at St. Louis, Mo.

iii. James C. Jackson, b. Aug. 22, 1818; m. Mary W. Child, June 5, 1849. He was a physician at Hartford, Conn.

iv. Huldah Jackson, b. Aug. 27, 1820; m. James A. Davidson; d. Oct. 23, 1869, at Cornish, N. H.

v. ELEAZER JACKSON, b. Aug. 13, 1823; m. Matilda J. Farnum, Jan. 1, 1851; d. May 3, 1876, at Albany, N. Y.

vi. Charles Edwin Jackson, b. July 19, 1827; m. Judith C. Bryant of Cornish, Oct. 8, 1855. He was a representative in 1877.

Polly Corbin (James, James, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 12, 1800, at Newport, N. H.; m., 1st, William Barnes of Claremont, N. H.; m., 2d, Ebenezer Watson of Claremont, Oct. 14, 1825; he was b. Jan. 20, 1796, and d. April 30, 1867.

### Child of 1st husband:

i. MARIETTA BARNES, m. —— Bailey.

### Children of 2d husband:

- MARY A. WATSON, b. 1827; m. Alexander Wyse.
- EDWARD WATSON, b. 1831; m. Laura Ableman.
- ISABEL L. WATSON, b. 1836; m. W. H. Wyman. iv.
- Frances F. Watson, b. 1839; m. E. B. Nelson. V.
- 179. Charles Corbin (James, James, James, James, Clement), b. July 10, 1802, at Newport, N. H.; m. Olive M. Fitch of Keene, N. H., Dec. 18, 1829; she was b. in 1801 and d. March 12, 1860. He was a prominent citizen of Newport, N. H. (?), where he was selectman in 1835 and 1836. He was colonel of the 31st N. H. Regiment.

### Children:

- ARABELLA FRANCES, b. Oct. 29, 1830; m. Elijah D. Hastings of St. Louis.
- MARY F., b. Jan. 13, 1833; d. in 1853. ii.
- CHARLES JAMES, b. April 5, 1836; lived in the Penn. iii. oil fields.
- 180. Joseph Corbin (Moses, Moses, James, James, Clement), b. Aug. 17, 1800; m., 1st, Eliza Spicer, who was drowned soon after marriage at Whitehall, N. Y.; he m., 2d, Eunice Comstock. He was a Royal Arch mason in 1825. He d. Oct. 19, 1888, at Kendall, N. Y., or at East Carlton, Orleans County, N. Y.

- i. Joseph, resided at Kendall, N. Y.
- ii.
- ELIZA, m. Knapp; res., Alembic, Mich. RHODA, m. Cole; res., Memphis, N. Y. Mr. iii. Cole was for thirty years a school teacher and. became blind.
- PHEBE, m. ——— Scott; res., Dallas Center, Iowa. iv.
- 181. Polly Corbin (Moses, Moses, James, James, Clement), b. May 11, 1811; m. Calvin Robbins, July 1,

1827; he was b. Aug. 9, 1800, and d. Dec. 30, 1864. She d. May 13, 1888.

### Children:

i. Charles Robbins, b. Nov. 17, 1828; m. Eliza Brown, Sept. 12, 1853. Children:

1. MARY E. ROBBINS, b. July 17, 1854.

- 2. CHARLES R. ROBBINS, b. July 31, 1858.
- 3. CARRIE L. ROBBINS, b. Jan. 8, 1863; d. Jan. 16, 1886.
- ii. John Robbins, b. June 22, 1831; d. June 20, 1833.
- iii. MARY ROBBINS, b. March 14, 1833; d. Jan. 8, 1835.
- iv. Helen Robbins, b. May 19, 1835; d. Feb. 11, 1866.
- v. Marion Robbins, b. July 16, 1838; m. Darwin W. Sherman. Oct. 13, 1858; he was b. March 31, 1837, and d. Dec. 13, 1894; she d. Jan. 28, 1900. Children:
  - 1. WILLIAM A. SHERMAN, b. Jan. 8, 1861; m. Gertrude Snow, Oct. 30, 1882. They had four children, Marion, Ware Henry, Ruth Helen, and Richard Sherman, of whom only the last two are living.
  - 2. Henry L. Sherman, b. May 5, 1865; m. Jennie Wait, May 12, 1885. She was b. Jan. 30, 1864. He is the secretary of the Sherman Lime Co., Glens Falls, N. Y. Ch. (1), Darwin W. Sherman, b. Feb. 5, 1890.
- vi. ELIZABETH ROBBINS, b. April 9, 1841; d. March 12, 1884.
- vii. Louise Robbins, b. Oct. 17, 1843; d. Dec. 20, 1899.
- 182. Moses Corbin (Moses, Moses, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 19, 1818; m. Mary A. Brockway, Jan. 22, 1850. She was b. April 24, 1832, and d. Feb. 5, 1901. He was a musician, an orchestra leader for nearly forty years, and a musical composer. Is now (1904) in his 86th year, well and hearty, residing at S. Glens Falls, N. Y.

- i. CHARLES E., b. Oct. 23, 1850; unm.
- 366. ii. John F., b. Dec. 11, 1851.
  - iii. EMMA E., b. April 8, 1855; m. Simeon E. Miller, 1883; he d.
  - iv. IDA I., b. Dec. 20, 1857; m. Charles S. Whitney, Sept. 1, 1880.
  - v. MARY L., b. Dec. 4, 1860; m. Robert Montgomery, 1885; he d. Celia, Anna M., and Alice d. in infancy.
- 183. Lucian Corbin (Rufus, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 20, 1808, at Dudley; m. Azubah

McIntyre, April 19, 1837, at Charlton; she was b. Sept. 27, 1812, at Charlton. They lived at Dudley, where she d. Oct. 2, 1846; he d. at Webster, May 1, 1854.

### Children:

i. Lucian Bonaparte, b. July 30, 1838; was a soldier in Company G, 4th Mass. Cavalry; d. May 8, 1865, at Hampton Hospital, Va.

367. ii. ROXALANA, b. May 18, 1840.

- iii. Rufus Ephraim, b. Aug. 16, 1842 or (1843); was a soldier in Company I, 15th Mass. Vols.; d. at the Soldiers' Home at Togus, Maine, April 6, 1885 (or Oct. 30, 1886).
- iv. AMELIA ANN, b. Dec. 4, 1844; d. unm., Aug. 9, 1872.

184. HIRAM CORBIN (Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. July 1, 1803; m. Fannie Shepard, a native of England. They resided at Rochdale and Webster, Mass. He d. March 11, 1864, at Webster; she d. April 20, 1884, in Webster.

#### Children:

i. HARRISON, b. 1835; m. Jennie E. Holt, Nov. 15, 1858; she d. Dec. 1, 1861, æ. 22; he d. Oct. 28, 1865, at Webster. One child, Arthur, d. in 1861.

ii. Julia Ann, b. Dec. 10, 1837; m. Franklin Gould, who was b. Oct. 6, 1832, at Charlton, Mass. She d. Aug. 30, 1893, at Webster. Children:

1. Frank B. Gould, b. in 1857; is a hardware

clerk at Webster.

2. FLORA BELL GOULD, b. in 1859; is a music teacher at Webster.

iii. Marcus Morton, b. in 1842; was drummer boy in the band of the 21st Regt., Mass. Vol. Inf.; d. at Newbern, N. C., May 11, 1862, of typhoid fever. His remains were brought to Webster, where an unusually impressive service was held, which was attended by more than two thousand people. All the clergymen of the town assisted, and there was a very large procession to the grave, which bore witness to the high esteem in which the young man was held. He was a youth of unusual promise, and the cutting off of such makes us realize the price that was paid for the preservation of our Union.

#### LINES ON THE BURIAL OF MARCUS M. CORBIN.

With solemn step and muffled drum We've borne him to his long, last home; And there, beneath the green pine's shade, Our pet, our drummer-boy, we've laid.





With throbbing hearts and bitter tears, "We yield the cherished hope of years"; Our country called, and that to save, Our pet, our drummer-boy, we gave.

We miss the sparkle of that eye,
That joyous heart that knew no sigh;
We dream — but, ah, our dreams are vain —
Our drummer-boy'll ne'er come again.

We'll strew with flowers that new-made grave, And with our tears their petals lave; We'll trust by faith that promise given, To meet our drummer-boy in Heaven.

And when with joyous hearts we greet Our absent friends, we'll not forget That mother, who, bereft of joy, Awaits in vain her drummer-boy.

O Thou, who hear'st the mourner's cry, Wilt Thou not hear that mother's sigh? And wilt not Thou some balm impart, To soothe and heal that bleeding heart?

iv. Cornelia, b. 1846; m. Lucian Bruce; no ch.

v. ELLEN LOUISE, b. Sept. 5, 1848; m. Orrin Cutler, Sept. 12, 1872. Res., Worcester.

vi. MARY, b. 1849; d. ——.

vii. MARIA, b. 1851; d. at Worcester.

185. Benjamin Albee Corbin (Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), of Webster, Mass., b. 1809, at . Dudley; m. Louisa Brown, Dec. 9, 1838, or Aug. 18, 1839. She was dau. of James Brown (b. 1781, d. March 8, 1865) and Sally Woodcock (b. 1783, d. Jan. 30, 1861).

He was a manufacturer of shoes at Webster, where the firm of B. A. Corbin & Son was widely known and respected for its uprightness and integrity. In his social life Mr. Corbin was loved by all who knew him. He was a prominent and active member of the Methodist Church, and was very benevolent. He was a firm believer in the principles of the Republican party, and represented the town in legislature of 1867. He was a director of the National Bank of Oxford. He d. Oct. 15, 1880, aged 72. His wife d. Feb. 6, 1887.

### Children:

i. Elizabeth, b. Aug., 1840; d. April 2, 1862; unm.

368. ii. Chester Clemans, b. Sept. 25, 1841.

iii. Francelia or Cecilia, b. Aug. 14, 1844; m. Fred W. Whipple of Worcester. One child, Fred. She d. Aug. 12, 1904.

- iv. Anna Augusta, b. Sept. 3, 1851; m. Henry A. Fuller, Jan. 8, 1879. Son, Henry Corbin Fuller, b. Nov. 13, 1879, is a manufacturing chemist at W. Somerville, Mass.
- 186. William Corbin (Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. May 12, 1812, at Dudley; m. Eliza Scholefield, March 8, 1841, at Dudley; she was b. there Feb. 24, 1821, the dau. of James and Betty Scholefield.

James Scholefield was b. at the Delph, Saddleworth, England, Nov. 15, 1785; came to America in 1812. He was a clothier by trade and was interested in the manufacture of woolen cloth at Dudley in 1817, in what later became a part of the Stevens Linen Works. He was one of the first woolen manufacturers in the country. He d. at Dudley, Feb. 6, 1862. His wife, Betty Howard, was b. at Staleywood, Cheshire, England.

William Corbin was in early life a shoemaker, noted for his activity, honesty, and outspokenness. In later life he purchased the home farm on which the first James Corbin settled about 1725, and which was in continuous possession of the Corbin family until 1892 with the exception of about 15 years. He d. Sept. 3, 1889. His wife d. in 1904 at Newburyport, Mass., and was buried in Dudley.

#### Children:

i. Frank Scholefield, b. Oct. 20, 1842; enlisted in Company I, 15th Mass. Vols., in which he was 1st lieutenant; he was killed in the battle of Antietam, Md., Sept. 17, 1862, while leading his men in a charge. He was highly esteemed by his men and all who knew him. His funeral was held at Webster, Sept. 24th, at which these lines, which were written for the occasion, were sung:

Soldier rest, thy warfare's ended— Clashing steel and cannon's roar, And the dirge-notes of the dying Can disturb thy sleep no more.

Thou who, in thy country's peril,
Firmly grasped thy sword in hand,—
Fearless in the front of battle,
Perished for thy fatherland.

'Tis not kindred tear-drops only
That will bathe thy grave like rain,
For we all must pay a tribute
O'er the youthful martyr slain.

Then with reverence we will lay thee In the earth's cold bosom now, With thy country's banner o'er thee, And the laurel on thy brow.

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- ii. ELLEN, b. July 23, 1844; was a teacher; d. unm. at Dudley, Dec. 4, 1865.
- iii. Eugene, b. Dec. 16, 1849; was a mason; d. at Dudley, Nov. 12, 1873.
- iv. WILLIAM WARREN, b. Jan. 15, 1854; he was the founder and editor of the Southbridge Herald; d. at Southbridge, Mass., Dec. 25, 1884.
- v. ALICE ELIZA, b. Sept. 8, 1857; was for many years a successful teacher; m. Albert Thomas Silloway of Newburyport, Mass., July 28, 1891, at Amesbury, Mass.; he d. in 1897; she resides at Newburyport.
- 369. vi. FRED ELLSWORTH, b. May 18, 1861.
- 187. Lament Bacon Corbin (Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 1, 1813 (or 1814), in Dudley; m. Melezenda P. Stone, May 31, 1840, at Oxford; she was the dau. of Josiah and Urania (Shumway) Stone, and was b. at Oxford, Mass. Josiah Stone, b. at Windsor, Vt., was a leading shoe manufacturer at Oxford, where he d. Feb. 10, 1883, æ. 34. His wife, b. at Oxford, d. Feb. 10, 1880.

Lament B. Corbin was a manufacturer of shoes and an active and respected citizen of Oxford; he was selectman for sixteen years, most of the time chairman of the board, a representative in the state legislature, and a liberal supporter of the Methodist church. He d. July 1, 1872.

### Child:

- i. Luman Boyden, b. Feb. 21, 1843; was a musician in the Worcester band; d. June 2, 1863.
- 188. Elbridge Corbin (Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. 1816, at Dudley; m. Abigail Prince, April 7, 1840. She was b. April 14, 1820, the dau. of David and Rebecca (Shumway) Prince. He d. Oct. 14, 1845, at Chepachet, R. I., and his wife m., 2d, Orris Parsons of Worcester, Mass. (intentions Sept. 8, 1847, at Oxford, Mass.), and had three more children. She d. Oct. 17, 1880, at Cordaville or Westboro, Mass.

# Children of Elbridge and Abigail P. Corbin:

- i. Julius Newton, b. Aug. 10, 1841, at Oxford; d. June 18, 1843, at Millbury, Mass.
- ii. Martha Elizabeth, b. Aug. 10, 1843, at Millbury, Mass.; m. Marcellus A. Blair, May 22, 1868, at Webster, Mass. Two children:

- 1. WILLIAM HENRY BLAIR, b. Jan. 1, 1877, at Worcester.
- 2. Frank Hunt Blair, b. Dec. 22, 1880, at Webster.

188½. Samuel Corbin (Samuel, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1824, at Thompson, Conu.; m. Caroline M. Page, Sept. 8, 1844, at Thompson; she was b. May 24, 1822. He d. Aug. 30, 1895. She resides at Winchendon, Mass.

### Children:

i. Monroe J., b. Sept. 2, 1845, at Thompson, Conn.; m. Sarah E. Shaw, April 2, 1868, at Grafton, Mass. He was a soldier in the Civil War at Fort Warren. Resides at Winchendon, Mass. Children:

1. Samuel E., b. May 4, 1870; m. Lucy Milligan, Jan. 6, 1897, in Winchendon, Mass. They have two children, Hollis N., b. April 27, 1898, and Morris, b. Aug. 17, 1900.

ii. SARAH A., b. Aug. (or Oct.) 16, 1847, at Thompson; m. Cyrus P. Harrington, April 18, 1878, in Ux-

bridge, Mass. Resides at Worcester, Mass.

iii. IRENE E., b. April 5, 1849, at Webster, Mass.; d. Aug. 21, 1850.

iv. Elnora E., b. Jan. 22, 1851, at Oxford, Mass.; d.

Oct. 9, 1864.

v. AMY J., b. July 4, 1853, at Millbury, Mass.; m., 1st, W. O. Burns, Nov. 25, 1874, at Grafton, Mass.; he d., and she m., 2d, J. G. Reed of Lowell, Mass., in 1879. One child, Maud Reed, b. March 1, 1881.

vi. ALMA J., b. Sept. 6, 1855, at Millbury; m. W. P. Rice at Fitchburg, Mass., Sept. 3, 1879. One child,

Edith M., b. April 20, 1881.

vii. Charles R., b. Sept. 29, 1857, at Millbury; address unknown.

- viii. LILIAN W., b. Feb. 24, 1860; resides at Winchendon, Mass., where she and her sister Carrie run a shop for covering top rollers for cotton mills, and where they manufacture many articles with their own hands. They recently made an elaborate hunting-knife for President Roosevelt.
- ix. Francis E., b. July 31, 1863, at Millbury; d. Aug. 2, 1864.
- x. Frank, b. June 19, 1866, at Grafton, Mass.; d. March 6, 1896.
- xi. CARRIE M., b. Oct. 3, 1872, at Grafton; resides at Winchendon, Mass.
- 189. PALMER MARBLE CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. at Dudley, Sept. 21, 1817; m. Lucy Maria Stone at Thompson, May 27, 1849. She was b. May 6, 1829, at Thompson; d. Aug. 28, 1898, at

Wales, Mass. They lived at Thompson, Conn., but he now lives at Brimfield, Mass.

### Children:

- **370.** i. CHARLES MONROE, b. Feb. 6, 1850.
  - ii. CLARENCE AUGUSTUS, b. July 16, 1855; m. and lives at 28 Chandler St., Worcester, Mass. No children.

Frank, b. July 8, 1857; d. Nov. 13, 1865.

DWIGHT ROLAND, b. July 6, 1858; d. March 15, 1882. iv.

MARY MARTHA, b. Sept. 17, 1861. v.

- 371. AGNES CARRIE, b. June 8, 1868. 372. vi.
  - GEORGE HENRY, b. June 5, 1878; d. Aug. 13, 1878. vii.
- JOHN CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. at Dudley, Nov. 17, 1818; m. Hannah Penneman of Providence, R. I., May, 1841, at Oxford, Mass. He d. at Newport, R. I., June 30, 1845. She d. at Worcester, Mass., in 1894.

#### Children:

- i. SARAH PENNEMAN, b. May 6, 1842, at Newport; d. May 1, 1845, at Newport.
- 191. George Washington Corbin (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. at Dudley, March 12, 1820; m. Jane Seraph Lawrence, at Sturbridge, Mass., Sept. 22, 1843. She was b. at Spencer, Mass., March 15, 1823, and d. at Oxford, Mass., Oct. 8, 1889. They lived in Oxford, He now resides at Brockton, Mass. Mass.

- MARY IRENE, b. April 23, 1845, at Oxford. 373. i.
  - ii. CHARLES WALTON, b. Jan. 19, 1848, at Oxford; d.
  - Sept. 30, 1848, at Oxford. SYLVIA ALEANOR, b. July 1, 1849, at Thompson, iii. Conn.; m. William Ormsbie, June 28, 1876, at Worcester, Mass. He was b. at Thompson, 1846. She d. June 16, 1890.
- 374. iv. MARIA ANGELINE, b. Feb. 8, 1851, at Webster.
  - ELLA CAROLINE, b. Sept. 22, 1855, at Webster; m. V. George Albert Larned at Worcester, Mass. 1883. He was b. March 3, 1855, at Dudley. Ch.: Millicent, b. Sept. 22, 1884, at Webster; d. Sept. 27, 1887. Now lives at Brockton, Mass.
  - MILEZENDA VIOLA, b. May 24, 1857, at Dudley; m. vi. Braman F. Sibley (b. April 24, 1824, at Spencer, Mass.) at Ocean Grove, N. J., July 10, 1878.
- MARIA CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. at Monson, Sept. 6, 1821; m. John W. Wood,

April 24, 1845, at Oxford. He was b. Nov. 4, 1821. They lived at Webster, where she d. July 24, 1852, and he d. in 1897.

### Children:

- i. Adams Wood, b. April 5, 1846; d. Aug. 20, 1846.
- ii. Melissa Wood, b. Sept. 13, 1847; d. at Southbridge, Mass., 1868.
- iii. Francelia Wood, b. March 4, 1850; m. Wood; d. .

  Two twins, John and Maria Wood, b. July 6, 1852, d. the same day.
- 193. ABIEL WILLIAMS CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 1 or 21, 1826; m. Cynthia Webster, Sept. 3, 1848, at Thompson. She was b. Sept. 10, 1820, at Oxford. Lived at Webster and Worcester. He d. June 28, 1874, at Worcester; she d. there, Feb. 16, 1895.

#### Children:

- i. EMMA CYNTHIA, b. March 27. 1850; m. Laforest Jefferson Bump, June 28, 1874, at Worcester. He was b. May 31, 1849, at Middleboro, Mass. They live at 41 Oberlin St., Worcester, Mass. Children:
  - 1. MINNIE LOUISE BUMP, b. Sept. 19, 1877. 2. ARTHUR DEXTER BUMP, b. June 5, 1881.
- ii. John Warren, b. Aug. 21, 1855; m. Sarah Deanserean March 8, 1881, at Worcester; she was b. March 18, 1865, at Worcester. They live at 97 Beacon St., Worcester, Mass. Child:
  - 1. CLARENCE WARREN, b. Feb. 9, 1882.
- 194. CAROLINE CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. July 1, 1828; m. Schuyler Lyon Cheney, Sept. 27, 1847, at Webster. He was b. at Woodstock, Feb. 22, 1824; d. May 3, 1893, at Webster. She lives in Webster.

#### Children:

- i. EDGAR A. CHENEY, b. Sept. 9, 1850; d. Sept. 9, 1850.
  ii. WESLEY F. CHENEY, b. Dec. 5, 1853; d. same day.
- iii. John Tryoney Cheney, b. June 20, 1858; m. Alma Pickwick, Sept. 28, 1882, at Webster. She was b. in England, Jan. 3, 1855; d. in Webster, Sept. 25, 1893. He m., 2d, Fanny Potts, Sept. 26, 1895, at Manchester, N. H.; she was b. in England, 1857. They live at Moosup, Conn. Children:

1. LILLIE BELL CHENEY, b. March 19, 1884;

d. same day.
2. Alma Lillian Cheney. b. Sept. 21, 1885;
d. March 26, 1886.

- 3. GRACE MAY CHENEY, b. April 20, 1887.
- 4. ALLUBA PICKWICK CHENEY, b. Aug. 26, 1890.
- iv. CARRIE ELDORA CHENEY, b. April 12, 1860; m. David Stead.
- v. IRVIN MONROE CHENEY, b. June 13, 1865; m. Abbie Jane Schofield, July 4, 1888, at Oxford; she was b. at Westford, Conn., Feb. 4, 1859. They live at Webster. Children:
  - 1. EDITH MAY CHENEY, b. May 7, 1890.
  - 2. ERNEST LYON CHENEY, b. March 23, 1893.
  - 3. GLADYS CHENEY, b. Nov. 3, 1898.
- vi. EMMA LILLIAN CHENEY, b. June 3, 1867; d. March 3, 1893.
- 195. Sylvia Ann Corbin (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. March 7, 1831; m. Alfred Kingsbury Rawson, Jan. 5, 1853. They lived at Thompson, Conn., and later at Jefferson City, Mo. He d. March 6, 1897.

### Children:

- i. Fred Alphonso Rawson, b. July 6, 1855; d. Sept. 30, 1855.
- ii. RALPH EDGAR RAWSON, b. Oct. 29, 1860; d. Nov. 9, 1862.
- iii. Nora Murtie Rawson, b. Oct. 2, 1862; d. Sept. 28, 1863.
- iv. Jennie Bell Rawson, b. Feb. 24, 1867, at Jackson, Mich.; m. Henry Schmidt, Sept. 19, 1888, at Jefferson City, Mo. He was b. there, Dec. 28, 1861. Child:
  - 1. PAUL RAWSON SCHMIDT, b. July 1, 1889.
- 196. LAURA ANN CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 3, 1834, m. Alfred Woodard, at Webster, in 1855. He was b. at Sturbridge. She d. April 17, 1858, at Webster.

### Child:

- i. Charles Woodard, b. 1856.
- 197. Monroe Harrison Corbin (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. March 6, 1836, at Southbridge, Mass.; m. Laura Augusta May, Dec. 22, 1858, at Thompson, Conn. She was b. at Sturbridge, Mass., Sept. 21, 1835. He was a private in Company A, 56th Mass. Vol. Infantry, First Brigade, First Division, 9th Army Corps, Army of the Potomac, in the Civil War, 1861-5. His army record is as follows:

He was present with his regiment in the following battles: Wilderness, May 6-8, 1864; here his colonel, Charles E. Griswold, was killed, and many others; Spottsylvania, May 10-18; North Anna River, May 24th; Bethesda Church, May 31st; Cold Harbor, June 3d; in front of Petersburg, in the assault of June 17th, and the subsequent siege operations. The regiment shared with the 9th corps in the action at "The Crater," July 30th, forming a part of the division selected to lead the advance immediately after the explosion of the mine, losing many as prisoners, in addition to those killed and wounded. It took part in the movement against the Weldon Railroad in August, sharing in the engagement of August 19th; was present at the battle of Peeble's Farm, or Poplar Spring Church, Sept. 30th, and participating in all the movements of the siege during the autumn. Monroe Corbin was honorably discharged for disability received in line of duty, Dec. 20, 1864. His regiment afterwards continued fighting in the Virginia campaign until Lee's surrender, after which it moved to Alexandria, and was mustered out July 12, 1865. With the rest of the 9th Corps, the 56th Regiment saw hard fighting, and lost 9 officers and 203 men, a gallant but frightful record.

Since his discharge from the army, Monroe Corbin has lived in Webster, Mass., where he was for many years in the employ of B. A. Corbin & Son in the manufacture of shoes. He is a well-known Grand Army man. He is much interested in the Corbin Genealogy, and has patiently given the compiler much assistance in the preparation of this book.

198. MARY JANE CORBIN (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. May 17, 1841; m. William H. Briggs, at Webster, 1862. He was b. March 5, 1841, was a private in Company G, 51st Mass. Vol. Infantry, 1861-5; d. at Northbridge, Mass., June 10, 1868. She d. at Dudley, May 7, 1867.

#### Child:

- i. Jennie Estella Briggs, b. June 5, 1866, at Dudley; d. May 16, 1873, at Woodstock.
- 199. SHERMAN H. CORBIN (Ira H., Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Dec. 5, 1802; m. Caroline Mary Archer, Jan. 24, 1833; she was b. in Litchfield, Conn., and d. Nov. 14, 1869. He d. Dec. 22, 1891.

## Children b. at Fabius, N. Y.:

i. CHARLES ARCHER, b. March 4, 1834; m. Mary Ann Johnson, Dec. 22, 1860. Children:
1. MINNIE BELLE, b. Dec. 29, 1867.

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- ii. SARAH SOPHIA, b. July 7, 1836; d. Aug. 17, 1838.
- iii. Louise Sarah, b. July 8, 1838; d. Aug. 21, 1859.
- iv. MARY CAROLINE, b. March 8, 1840; m. C. R. Nichols, Sept. 2, 1862. She d. Dec. 15, 1899. He d. June 2, 1895. Children:
  - 1. CAROLINE BELLE NICHOLS, b. Dec. 29, 1868.
  - 2. Archer Corbin Nichols, b. Oct. 19, 1885.
- v. Louisa Ellen, b. Feb. 9, 1842; m. William R. Bush, Dec. 7, 1869. He d. Aug. 25, 1901. Child:
  - 1. ARCHER CORBIN BUSH, b. April 2, 1880.
- vi. Sarah Sophia, b. July 15, 1844; m. Kendrick B. Miller, Dec. 18, 1883. He d. May, 1903.
- vii. Cornelia Eliza, b. Oct. 15, 1846; unm.; lives in Syracuse, N. Y.
- viii. Sherman C., b. March 6, 1849; m. Susie Maxwell, Dec. 28, 1889. She d. He is connected with the Waterbury Clock Co. as a traveling salesman, with residence at 494 McDonough St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- ix. LILLIAN FRANCIS, b. Oct. 2, 1857; m. Elbert F. Allen, Aug. 23, 1883. They live at Fayetteville, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. HELEN LOUISE ALLEN, b. May 11, 1884.
  - 2. Roscoe Conklin Allen, b. April 23, 1887.
  - 3. MARGUERITE LILLIAN ALLEN, b. Nov. 29, 1890.
- 200. ALANSON C. CORBIN (Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. July 16, 1807; m. Eliza Bowe, who was b. Sept. 8, 1808. He d. in Clayton, N. Y., March 20, 1882.

# Children b. near or in Depauville, N. Y.:

- i. Saloma, b. July 11, 1831; d. Sept. 28, 1831.
- 375. ii. ELIZABETH, b. Sept. 21, 1832; m. Chauncey Hocknell, Dec. 29, 1853; d. in Clayton, Nov. 10, 1882.
  - iii. Lucy, b. Jan. 15, 1835; d. Feb. 5, 1848.
- 376. iv. James Henry, b. Sept. 21, 1836.
- 377. v. SHERMAN, b. Oct. 7, 1838.
- 378. vi. EMILY, b. Aug. 13, 1840.
  - vii. CAROLINE, b. Sept. 19, 1842; d. May 2, 1846.
  - viii. HARRIET, b. Feb. 22, 1845; d. May 2, 1846.
  - ix. Flora, b. April 22, 1847; d. Feb. 5, 1876.
  - x. ELLEN JANE, b. Jan. 24, 1851; d. Oct. 15, 1851.
- 201. Simeon James Corbin (Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Feb. 11, 1809; m. Marbry Carpenter, dau. of Beriah and Delilah Carpenter, in 1831; she d. April 28, 1859, at Corbin's Corners, N. Y. He m., 2d, Mary Mooney, Jan. 27, 1863. He lived first in Clayton, N. Y., on the farm where his father settled in 1818, and afterwards at Depauville, N. Y. He was a farmer

and cooper. He d. March 16, 1881, at Depauville. His widow resides at Rochester, N. Y.

#### Children:

- 379. i. Soranus Clayton, b. May 26, 1833 (the first white male child born in Clayton after that town was organized, April 29, 1833).
  - ii. Mercy Pettibone, b. Oct. 13, 1835; d. Nov. 11, 1835.
  - iii. Marbrey Jane, b. Sept. 24, 1836; d. July 11, 1837.
- 380. iv. SALOMA CATHERINE, b. May 30, 1838.
  - v. HIRAM DUANE, b. Aug. 1, 1840; was a sailor; enlisted in Company K, 88th Ill. Vols., and d. in the hospital at Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 25, 1863.
- 381. vi. MELZAR MATTISON, b. May 10, 1842.
- 382. vii. George Gary, b. Sept. 23, 1844.
- 383. viii. Byron Barney, b. Nov. 18, 1846.
  - ix. CAROLINE CALISTA, b. Jan. 26, 1848; m. Hiram Stratton of Hartford, Mich., Feb. 18, 1880; he d. No children. She had a real estate office in Saginaw, Mich., for several years, and now resides in Bridgeport, Mich.
  - x. Charles Giles, b. Oct. 27, 1850; d. Feb. 21, 1852.
  - xi. ELLA ARLINE, b. Feb. 20, 1853; d. unm., March 9, 1902, at Hartford, Mich.
- 202. Rev. Ira Hamlin Corbin (Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 1, 1812; m. 1st, Elvira Keene of Brownville, N. Y., Oct., 1835. She d. Nov., 1853, at Buck's Bridge. He m., 2d, Jane Peck, Dec. 4, 1855, at Fayetteville, N. Y. He was a member of the Black River M. E. Conference, N. Y., and was pastor at Natural Bridge, Morristown, Buck's Bridge, Canton, and Theresa, where he d. Dec. 11, 1856.

# Child (adopted):

- i. HARRIET HULBERT; m. Charles Thwing of Theresa, N. Y., June 7, 1857. Res., Mo. Her son is a professor in Syracuse University.
- 203. Capt. Samuel Corbin (Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement) of Union, b. Feb. 11, 1792; m. Charlotte Chapin, dau. of Rev. Nathaniel Chapin of Union, March 30, 1815. He was a farmer in Union and captain of the militia company in town. He was selectman a number of years, represented the town in the legislature of 1852, and held other town offices. He was a man of good business ability and respected by his fellow townsmen. He d. March 8, 1872, of paralysis.

PHILIP CORBIN, West Hartford, Conn.



### Children:

- i. SAMUEL AURELIUS, b. Jan. 28, 1816; d. June 10, 1817.
- ii. Charlotte Juliette, b. Feb. 10, 1817; d. May 12, 1828.
- 384. iii. SAMUEL MERILLO, b. Dec. 15, 1818.
- 385. iv. AURELIUS ORVILLE, b. April 17, 1821.
- 386. v. Lovicy Rhoby, b. March 16, 1823.
- 387. vi. Charles Augustus, b. Dec. 16, 1824.
- 388. vii. PHILO RODERICK, b. Jan. 25, 1827.
- 389. viii. HENRY FIELDER, b. April 27, 1829.
- 390. ix. Charlotte Juliette, 2d, b. Feb. 3, 1834.
- 204. Polly Corbin (Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 28, 1795, at Union, Conn.; m. Joseph Cheeney Griggs, son of Elisha and Sarah (Booth) Griggs and grandson of Joseph Griggs, who settled in Union before 1779. Joseph C. and Polly Griggs moved from Union to Stockbridge, N. Y., about 1840, where she d.; he d. Dec. 1, 1879, at Hopewell, Ontario County, N. Y.

- i. Joseph Maitland Grigos, b. Oct. 8, 1816; m., 1st, Elvira Fuller of Somers, 1842; she d. July, 1845; m., 2d, Betsey Bliss of West Springfield, Sept., 1847. She d. Sept. 13, 1894. He became the general ticket agent of the Boston & Albany Railroad in 1868, holding the position with great credit until 1889. He d. Feb. 3, 1896, at Springfield, Mass. Children:
  - 1. JOSEPH FULLER GRIGGS, b. 1845; m. Helen M. Bagg of W. Springfield, May, 1868. Two children.
  - 2. GEORGE BLISS GRIGGS, b. ——; grad. from Yale, 1872; m. Nora Ball of N. H. Res., Boston. He is auditor of accounts on the B. & A. R. R.
  - 3. ELIZABETH; m. James E. Nichols of Austin Nichols & Co., New York.
- ii. ELISHA ELA GRIGGS, b. June 6, 1818; res., Springfield.
- iii. Philip Griggs, b. May 7. 1820.
- iv. ELAM GRIGGS, b. Sept. 7, 1824; m. Warner of Oriskany, N. Y. Three children.
- v. Orlando Griggs, b. Sept. 26, 1830; res., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- vi. MARY RHOBY GRIGGS, b. Nov. 6, 1841, at Stockbridge, N. Y.; m. Wm. Walters. Res., Hopewell, N. Y. Two children.
- 205. Philip Corbin, Jr. (Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 4, 1797, in Union, Conn.; m. Lois Chaffee of Ashford, Nov. 29, 1820. He moved from

Union to Willington and afterwards, in 1833, to West Hartford. He was a thrifty and successful farmer, a substantial citizen, and a captain of the militia. He d. July 24, 1881. She d. Sept. 9, 1872.

### Children:

391. i. HEZEKIAH H., b. in Union, Nov. 29, 1821.

392. ii. WALDO, b. in Union, Jan. 26, 1823.

393. iii. Philip, b. in Willington, Oct. 26, 1824.

iv. Lois, b. in Willington, Oct. 5, 1826; never married; resides (1904) on the old homestead at W. Hartford.

394. v. FRANK, b. in Willington, Jan. 26, 1828.

vi. ANGERONA or ANN, b. in Willington, Jan. 22, 1830; unmarried; resides (1904) on the old homestead at "Corbin's Corners," W. Hartford.

vii. WILLIAM, b. in Willington, Sept. 29, 1831; entered his brother's factory in 1850 and became superintendent; d. Oct. 28, 1860, universally loved and respected.

395. viii. Andrew, b. in West Hartford, June 10, 1833.

396. ix. George S., b. in West Hartford, June 27, 1836.

397. x. ELBERT A., b. in West Hartford, Oct. 17, 1843.

206. Healy Corbin (Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 8, 1799, at Union, Conn.; m. Nancy Coye, dau. of David and Lucy (Kinney) Coye, Oct. 13, 1825. She was b. Dec. 16, 1803, at Union; granddau. of Archibald and Elizabeth (Badger) Coye and great-granddau. of Nehemiah Coye, who came from Pomfret to Union, and whose father, Nehemiah, came from Scotland.

Healy Corbin was a farmer on the old homestead at Union, a worthy and useful citizen, holding several offices, and being in the legislature of 1851-2; of a quiet and retiring nature, but a man of strong sympathies and sterling worth; a valued member of the Congregational Church. He removed to Brimfield, Mass., in 1868; d. Oct. 21, 1878. She d. May 2, 1878.

#### Children:

i. Rhoby, b. Sept. 19, 1826; d. Aug. 19, 1827.

398. ii. Lucy Rhoby, b. April 2, 1828.

399. iii. NANCY DELIZA, b. Dec. 19, 1829.

400. iv. MARY MINERVA, b. Oct. 29, 1831.

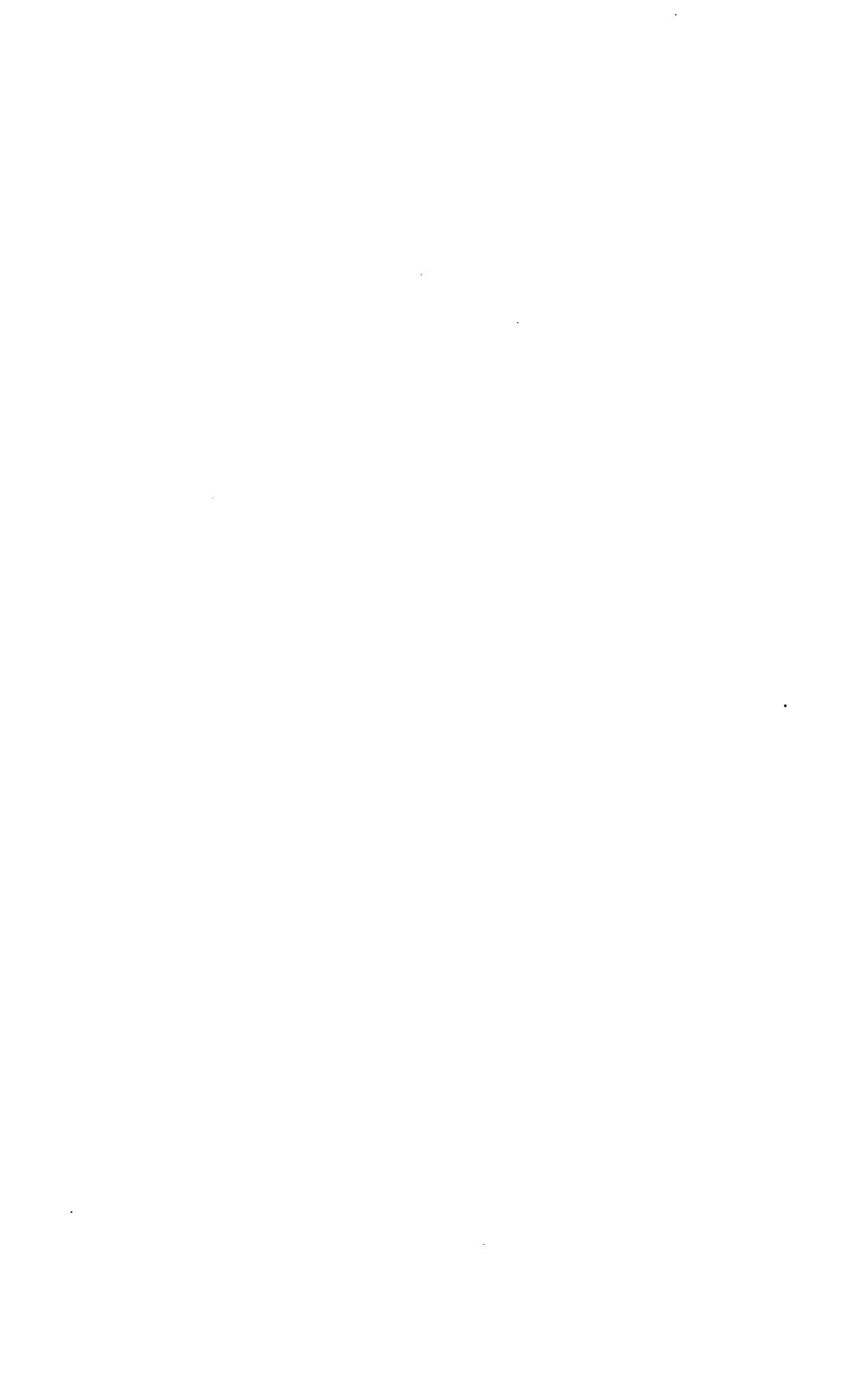
401. v. REBECCA, b. Sept. 23, 1834.

vi. Maria, b. Aug. 26, 1836; d. Nov. 25, 1836.

402. vii. ELVIRA, b. June 14, 1838.

403. viii. MINER HEALY, b. Dec. 27, 1840.

HEALY CORBIN, Union, Conu



207. Hermon Corbin (Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement) of Union, Conn., b. May 20, 1806; m., 1st, Calista Knowlton of Wilbraham, Mass.; she d. Sept. 19, 1846, æ. 39. He m., 2d, Maria M. Sherman, Sept. 15, 1847, at Pomfret, Conn.; she d. Jan. 9, 1863, æ. 41. He m., 3d, Sarah E. Kenyon, April 28, 1869. Her maiden name was Sarah E. Hollingworth. She was the widow of James Kenyon, by whom she had three children. She d. May 2, 1889. Hermon Corbin was a farmer at Union, Conn., residing close by where his father settled. He d. at Monson, Mass., July 12, 1890.

### Children:

- i. LORETTA A., b. April 6, 1834; m. Roswell Needham, May 3, 1857. She d. Nov. 15, 1875; he d. Feb. 5, 1901.
- ii. Rhoby Amelia, b. June 29, 1838; m. Leverett A. Snow, Oct. 2, 1861. He was the son of Hezekiah Snow and was b. at Woodstock, March 8, 1837. They lived at Union and several other places, but now reside at New Britain, where he is a maker of boxes for P. & F. Corbin. Children:

1. IDA SNOW, b. Feb. 11, 1868.

2. MABEL CALISTA SNOW, b. July 22, 1881; m. Robert Burns Lindsay of New Britain, June 1, 1904. Res., 37 Bodwell St., Hartford.

iii. Armena, b. March 4, 1842; m. William H. Horton, Feb. 13, 1866; they lived at Union, Putnam, S. Woodstock, and, since 1876, at Monson, Mass., with the exception of two and a half years in charge of the County Home for Children at Vernon, Conn. No children.

iv. Ann Maria, b. July 25, 1851; m. Milton Young, Nov. 29, 1871. He was b. at Eastford, Aug. 10, 1847. They lived at Colchester, Conn., but now reside at New Britain. Children:

1. FLORA LILLIAN YOUNG, b. Oct. 5, 1875; d. Aug. 28, 1876.

2. ARTHUR HERMAN YOUNG, b. June 15, 1877.

3. ETHEL MARIA YOUNG, b. April 24, 1890.
v. Alena Bell, b. Oct. 29, 1870; m. Carlton Hollingworth of Staffordville, Sept. 10, 1890; he was b. Sept. 9, 1869, the son of Thomas J. and Eliza (Parsons) Hollingworth. They resided in Staffordville until 1892, when they removed to Monson, Mass. In each place he was employed in the woolen mills. They now live at Cochituate, Mass. Children:

1. HABOLD CARLTON HOLLINGWORTH, b. May 7, 1897.

2. Leland George Hollingworth, b. June 30, 1899.

208. Sylvia Corbin (Josiah, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 24, 1817; m. Samuel H. Davis for his 2d wife, Nov. 5, 1846. He was b. Feb. 18, 1811, at Dudley, son of Edward Davis. His first wife was Lydia H. Davis, whom he m. Nov. 9, 1842; she was blind, and as an inmate of the blind asylum at Boston, taught Laura Bridgman; she d. Aug. 16, 1843, leaving no children. Samuel H. Davis kept a furniture store and worked at cabinet-making at Webster; he was a good and honorable citizen. He established the firm, "S. H. Davis & Sons." He d. in 1887. She d. Jan. 24, 1901.

### Children:

- i. Albert H. Davis, b. June 12, 1848, at Dudley; m. Idella L. Moore, Nov. 23, 1875; she was b. Sept. 20, 1854, at Union. Conn. He is a cabinet-maker and furniture dealer at Webster. Child:
  - 1. FLORENCE IDELLA, b. Oct. 23, 1878.
- ii. Delia Jane Davis, b. June 16, 1850. Res. in Boston.
- iii. Josiah Samuel Davis, b. Feb. 23, 1853; d. Oct. 12, 1854.
- iv. Samuel H. Davis, b. March 7, 1856; was a furniture painter in Philadelphia; now resides in Webster, Mass.
- v. Caroline Davis, b. July 10, 1858; d. June 21, 1880, at Webster.
- vi. Francis Estelle Davis, b. May 26, 1861; m. ——— Pearl. No children. Res., Webster.
- 209. Thomas E. Corbin (Thomas, John, Philip, James, Clement) b. Dec. 1, 1811; m. Sally M. Clark of Southbridge, March 27, 1839. She was b. April 21, 1820. They lived in the western part of Woodstock and afterwards at Putnam, Conn. He d. Feb. 8, 1881, at Woodstock. She d. about June, 1896, at W. Woodstock.

- i. Oliver W., b. Feb. 27, 1841; d. July 9, 1854.
- ii. MARY E., b. March 15, 1845; m. Milo P. Corbin (No. 413).
- iii. HARRIET MARILLA, b. July 21, 1853; m. Nicholas Coomer Hatch of Warren, R. I., May 18, 1874, at Putnam, Conn. She d. Sept. 17, 1889. Family resides at Warren, R. I. Children:
  - 1. Annie Frances Hatch, b. Sept. 17, 1876.
  - 2. MYRA BRADFORD HATCH, b. Oct. 26, 1882.
  - 3. BERTHA COGGESHALL HATCH, b. Nov. 16, 1884.

JOSEPH CORBIN (John, John, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 21, 1799, at Thompson (or Woodstock), Conn.; moved with his parents to Smithville, N. Y., in 1806; m. Eleanor Loomis in 1820. They moved to Cortland Co. about 1854, where he was a farmer. He d. May 26, 1883, æ. 84. She d. Aug. 27, 1876, æ. 73.

### Children:

i. BETSEY, b. 1824; m. A. Smith. Eight children.

d. Sept. 30, 1887.

ii. JOHN P., b. Aug. 31, 1825; m. Elizabeth Ford. Two sons, one in California, one in Binghamton. She d. April 20, 1891, æ. 61. He lives at Harford, N. Y.

MARY, b. 1830; m. J. Rorapaugh. Five children. iii.

She d. March 20, 1895.

Lois Ann, b. July 2, 1833; m. — Smith. Res., iv. Harford, N. Y. No children.

211. John Corbin (John, John, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 11, 1804, at Thompson, Conn., moved with his parents to Smithville, N. Y.; m. Lavinia Miller, Nov. 24, 1830. She was b. Aug. 16, 1809, in Smithville, the dau. of Samuel and Hannah Miller, and d. Feb. 22, 1904. He d. May 8, 1894, at Greene, N. Y.

### Children:

HENRY B., b. Feb. 18, 1833.

404. ii. JOSEPH, b. Feb. 3, 1837.

> HANNAH P., b. April 11, 1840; d. June 29, 1853. iii.

> ELIZABETH E., b. July 16, 1842; d. Oct. 9, 1862. Ì٧.

MARY A., b. June 12, 1849; d. Oct. 7, 1862.

212. Eunice Corbin (Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 12, 1797, in Woodstock; m. Wheeler Phillips of West Woodstock, April 4, 1827, for his second wife. His first wife was Anna Crawford, dau. of Dea. Samuel Crawford of Union, whom he m. April 25, His children by the first wife were: Addison, Allen, Whitman, Charles. She d. at Putnam, Conn., Aug. 13, 1877.

# Child of Eunice Corbin and Wheeler Phillips:

GILBERT WHEELER PHILLIPS, b. July 22, 1828; m. Jane Stoddard, dau. of Hon. Ebenezer Stoddard of S. Woodstock. He studied law with George F. Stoddard, and practiced in Putnam, where he d., Oct. 24, 1888. She d. 1895. Children:

- 1. GENEIVEVE PHILLIPS, b. Nov. 24, 1865; d. Nov. 19, 1869.
- 2. GILBERT WHEELER PHILLIPS. b. Feb. 2, 1874; d 1897
- 3. John C. Phillips. b. July 28, 1876; resides at N. Grosvenordale, Conn.
- 213. LATHROP CORBIN (Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 23, 1799; m. Almira Crawford, dau. of Luther and Elizabeth (Wilbur) Crawford of Union, June 16, 1825. She was b. July 18, 1802. They went to New York state. Lathrop Corbin died there when twenty-six years of age. His widow afterwards married James Phillips and went to Cleveland, O. They had five children: Elizabeth, William, Mary, Sarah, and Henry Phillips. She d. at Cleveland, O., Feb. 17, 1889.

# Child:

- i. Almira, b. March 21, 1826; m. —— Hosley.
- 214. Henry Howard Corbin (Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 16, 1800, at Woodstock, Conn.; m., at Gates, N. Y., Polly H. Edgerton, who was b. in 1802 at New Haven, Conn., and d. at Orangeport, N. Y., in 1840. He m., 2d, Harriet E. Ellis. He lived at Gates, Royalton, and Batavia, N. Y. He d. May 31, 1855, at Batavia, N. Y.

Children of first wife, b. at Gates, N. Y.:

405. i. Francis Henry Howard, b. July 14, 1828.

406. ii. MARTIN L., b. June 21, 1830.

- iii. ELIZABETH, b. ———, 1832; m. Daniel Betts, a teacher and clerk in Attorney-General's office at Lansing. He d. Jan., 1897. She resides at Okemos, Mich. Children:
  - 1. Emma Betts.
  - 2. Clarence Betts, b. 1866; resides Okemos.

407. iv. MARTHA A., b. Oct. 26, 1836.

#### Children of second wife:

- v. HARRIET EMELINE, b. Aug. 25, 1846; m. Eugene Harmon; he d., and she resides at Batavia, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. ADELL HARMON, b. Feb. 9, 1872; m. Wm. W. Callen; res. Batavia, N. Y.
  - 2. MyBON G. HARMON, b. April 5, 1874; d. Jan. 21, 1899.
- 408. vi. John Newton, b. 1848.

DEA, PENUEL CORBIN, West Woodstock, Conn.

215. Dea. Penuel Corbin, Jr. (Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Aug. 12, 1802, in Woodstock; m. Mary Chamberlain, dau. of Elisha and Sarah (Chandler) Chamberlain, Nov. 22, 1827. She was b. July 29, 1806. Her mother, Sarah Chandler, was descended from William Chandler, the first comer from England, as follows: Sarah, Moses, Joshua, John, John, William. Dea. John Chandler was one of the first settlers of Woodstock with James Corbin. Their fathers came to America in the same year, 1637. (See "The Chandler Family," by George Chandler.)

Dea. Penuel Corbin, Jr., was a farmer in the western part of Woodstock. He also engaged in shoemaking during the winters. He was an energetic, able and prosperous man, highly respected in the community. He was for fifty years a most devoted member and for many years deacon of the Baptist Church at W. Woodstock.

He d. Aug. 31, 1870. His wife d. March 12, 1881, at E. N. Lawson's in Union. She was a quiet, sweet, and most excellent woman, one of the best of mothers.

### Children:

- 409. i. Lucius Anson, b. Feb. 13, 1829.
- 410. ii. Mary Jane, b. March 14, 1831.
- 411. iii. SARAH ELLEN, b. Oct. 8, 1833.
- 412. iv. Francis or Frank Lathrop, b. May 13, 1838.
- 413. v. MILO PLINY, b. Jan. 16, 1842.
- 414. vi. VIOLA CALISTA, b. Jan. 28, 1848.
- 216. HANNAII CORBIN (Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 5, 1809; m. Cheney Sheddon of Sturbridge, Mass., Dec. 23, 1844. They lived in Sturbridge, Mass. She d. Aug. 11, 1878. He d. May 31, 1883.

- i. HARRIET ELIZABETH SHEDDON, b. April 22, 1846; m. Andrew Morse of Southbridge, Mass., Sept. 24, 1873, at Sturbridge; he was b. June 1, 1843. He is a farmer at Southbridge. Children:
  - 1. Mary Ellen Morse, b. Aug. 25, 1874; m. Ulysses A. Goodell, Jan. 15, 1896; res. Southbridge.
    - 2. JENNIE HARRIET MORSE, b. Jan. 18, 1876.
    - 3. Frank Sheddon Morse, b. March 26, 1879.
  - 4. Bessie Taylor Morse, b. Jan. 15, 1881; d. July 9, 1881.

- ii. ELIJAH PLIMPTON SHEDDON, b. June 29, 1847; m. Ellen L. Snell, June 10, 1875. Res. Fitchburg, Mass. Children:
  - 1. Grace Snell Sheddon, b. Aug. 1, 1876; d. Feb., 1883.
    - 2. MABEL ELIZABETH SHEDDON, b. Sept. 7, 1881.
    - 3. Lucius Cheney Sheddon, b. June 3, 1884. 4. HARRIET MYRA SHEDDON, b. Aug. 3, 1896.
- iii. WILLIAM CORBIN SHEDDON, b. Jan. 16, 1851; m. Elizabeth Cutler, Nov. 12, 1879, at Holland, Mass. Res. 527 E. 24th St., Brooklyn, N. Y. She d., and he m. again. Children:
  - 1. ALICE ELIZABETH SHEDDON, b. Sept. 27, 1879.
  - 2. Edith Sheddon, b. May 5, 1883; d. ——.
  - 3. Howard Cutler Sheddon, b. ---; d. --MARY ELLEN SHEDDON, b. Nov. 30, 1853; m. Edwin
- iv. Darling, Jan. 17, 1876. Res. 282 Cottage St., Pawtucket, R. I. He d. Sept. 30, 1898. Children:
  - 1. MARY SHEDDON DARLING, b. Nov. 2, 1876; m. Henry F. White of Providence, May 31, 1900.
    - 2. HANNAH CORBIN DARLING, b. May 7, 1878.
  - 3. LYMAN MORSE DARLING, b. Sept. 30, 1879; ·m. Luella Fifield of Pawtucket, April 15, 1903.
    - 4. HELEN ALICE DARLING, b. Sept. 30, 1885.
- LAVINIA CORBIN (Joseph, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 10, 1796, in Woodstock; m. Dea. Halsey Leonard of West Woodstock, Aug. 17, 1823. He was the son of Daniel Leonard and grandson of Jacob Leonard of Taunton, Mass. Daniel Leonard was b. at Taunton, March 28, 1773, and m. Mehitable Hicks (b. in Rehoboth, Mass., Feb. 11, 1771). They came to Union, Conn., in 1814, where he was a farmer and blacksmith and d. March 28, 1842. His wife d. Feb. 9, 1853. Halsey, the oldest of their eight children (of whom one, Moses G., became a member of Congress from New York in 1842), was b. at Woodstock, Nov. 9, 1795. He was for many years deacon of the Baptist church in W. Woodstock, and d. in Michigan, May 7, 1887, aged 92. She d. April 4, 1880.

- i. LAVINIA LEONARD, b. June 19, 1824; m. William E. Preston of Eastford. Conn., May 7, 1846; he was b. June 20, 1822. They settled in Armada, Mich. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES C. PRESTON, b. Nov. 5, 1847; d. Oct. 8, 1850.
  - 2. MARY L. PRESTON, b. June 21, 1850; m. George Crydennan, May 20, 1874. Children: Omar

P., George E., Mary C., Earl P., Leonard A., and James R. Crydennan.

3. John L. Preston, b. April 15, 1853; m. Mary

J. Lawrence; no ch.

- 4. HATTIE L. PRESTON, b. April 6, 1856; d. Aug. 26, 1877.
  - 5. BERT C. PRESTON, b. Jan. 2, 1859; m. L.

Belle Bliss, Sept. 24, 1883; no ch.

- 6. Anna C. Preston, b. April 20, 1861; m. George B. Hebblewhite, June 21, 1880. Children: Frank W., (d.), Hattie E., and Ruth A. Hebblewhite.
- ii. Lucretia Leonard, b. Nov. 15, 1825; d. June 24, 1829.
- 218. Mary Corbin (Joseph, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 4, 1803, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. Alvah Sibley, son of Ezra Sibley, who was a soldier for six years in the Revolution. Alvah Sibley was b. in Berkshire, Mass., March 1, 1796. He was a soldier in the war of 1812.

They lived in Brighton, near Rochester, N. Y., until 1835, when the family moved to Armada, Michigan, where he d. Feb. 1, 1870. Both were charter members of the Congregational church at Armada; he was deacon and she was a leading worker. She wove cloth to make money for the siding of the church. She d. at Armada, Nov., 1899, æ. 97.

# Children:

ii.

i. Alfred J. Sibley, b. Sept. 18, 1824; m. Elizabeth F. Clark, in 1850; d. in Anamosa, Ia. Children:

FRED H. SIBLEY, b. Feb., 1854; d. June, 1878.
 FRANCES SIBLEY, b. 1862; m. Frank Brierly;

d. 1891. Children: Mary, Eddie, and Jessie Brierly. Ezra F. Sibley, b. Nov. 29, 1827; m. Adaline A. Pierson, Sept. 13, 1853; she was b. Aug. 28, 1830, and d. Oct. 29, 1896. He lives at Armada, Mich. Children

1. LILIAN M. SIBLEY, b. May 1, 1859; m. Austin H. Phillips, Dec. 30, 1876. Ch.: John Austin Phillips, b. June 10, 1878; m. Hattie Yakes, July 8, 1901, and has a son, John Austin; Jo. Alvah Phillips, b. Feb. 18, 1880; Affa May Phillips, b. Feb. 10, 1883; Sarah Edith Phillips, b. Nov. 13, 1884; and Jessie Adaline Phillips, b. Dec. 30, 1890.

2. MINNIE A. SIBLEY, b. Aug. 22, 1867; m. David D. Torrey. Ch.: Adison Ezra Torrey, b. Aug. 28, 1890; Alvah Eaton Torrey, b. Oct. 9, 1895; Ray Darence Torrey, b. June 27, 1898; John Davis Torrey, b. July 25, 1900; and Athleer Marie Torrey, b.

Nov. 5, 1903.

- iii. WILLIAM H. SIBLEY, b. Dec. 2, 1838; enlisted in Co. A, 9th Mich. Infantry, Aug. 13, 1861; d. of typhus fever, Jan. 23, 1862, at Elizabethtown, Ky.
- 219. Sanford Holmes Corbin (Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 13, 1807; m. Delia Thankful Piersons, Sept. 12, 1832. She was b. Dec. 20, 1809, in Madison Co., N. Y., and d. Dec. 26, 1874, in Plainwell, Allegan Co., Mich. He was a millwright and farmer; went to Michigan in 1831; was a member of the Michigan Legislature in 1851; cast his first vote for Andrew Jackson for President. He lived in Armada, Mich., where all the children were born. He m., 2d, Betsey Hakees (Haven) Hitchcock of Pitcher, Chenango Co., N. Y., May 4, 1876. She d. April 6, 1891. He d. in Alamo, Mich., Nov. 8, 1894.

# Children:

415. i. MARTHA RACHEL CORBYN, b. July 9, 1836.

416. ii. Knowlton Pierson Corbyn, b. Aug. 5, 1846.

417. iii. ARTHUR HOLLY CORBYN, b. Jan. 5, 1849.

220. REV. ALMON DAVID CORBYN\* (Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 22, 1810, at Woodstock, Conn.; m., 1st, Mary Egerton Hough, dau. of Daniel Hough of St. Louis, Oct. 29, 1840. She was b. at Lexington, Ky., Sept. 13, 1822, and d. at St. Louis, April 28, 1846.

Daniel Hough, b. Dec. 29, 1787, at Lebanon, N. H., was descended from William Hough, who settled in Plymouth and then Gloucester, Mass. He (Daniel) graduated at Dartmouth, studied law, and went to Lexington, Ky., where he settled and m. Emeline E. Robert, dau, of Peter John Robert, a native of France and later a resident of Lexington, Ky. Daniel Hough and wife moved to St. Louis in 1820, and lived there until their death.

Almon Corbyn m., 2d, Virginia Buckner, dau. of Dr. E. E. and Maria H. Buckner, July 13, 1847, at Booneville, Ky. She was b. in Richmond Co., Va., Jan. 1, 1827.

Almon D. Corbyn moved with his parents in 1815 to Henrietta, Monroe Co., N. Y., which was then a wilderness. After fitting for college at Monroe High School at Henrietta, N. Y., and at Phillips Academy at Andover,

<sup>\*</sup> The brothers of this family adopted about 1850 the spelling, Corbyn, as being the original and more proper form. This is continued by all their descendants.

REV. ALMON D. CORBYN, 1850.



Mass., he joined the class of 1838 of Yale, and was a member throughout the course. After graduation he was employed as a private tutor at Annapolis, Md. In the fall of 1839 he removed to St. Louis, Mo. In March, 1840, he was appointed professor of mathematics in Kemper College in that city, and in August was transferred to the professorship of Latin and Greek. In July, 1840, he was admitted to deacon's orders in the Episcopal Church, and in due time he was admitted to priest's orders. he left the college and took charge of the infant parish of Christ's Church at Boonville, on the Missouri River, where he built a church and parsonage. In 1852 he left this place for the charge of St. Paul's parish in Columbus, Miss. A year or two afterwards he was invited to rectorship of St. Andrew's College, near Jackson, Miss. This charge he left in the spring of 1855 for that of the parish of St. Andrew in Jackson. In the following August the yellow fever broke out in the city, and while faithfully ministering to the sick and dying he took the Having partially recovered, he too soon engaged in duty and had a relapse. He fell beneath the attack Oct. 18, 1855, aged 45 years. He was highly esteemed by his people as a theologian, a preacher, and a scholar.

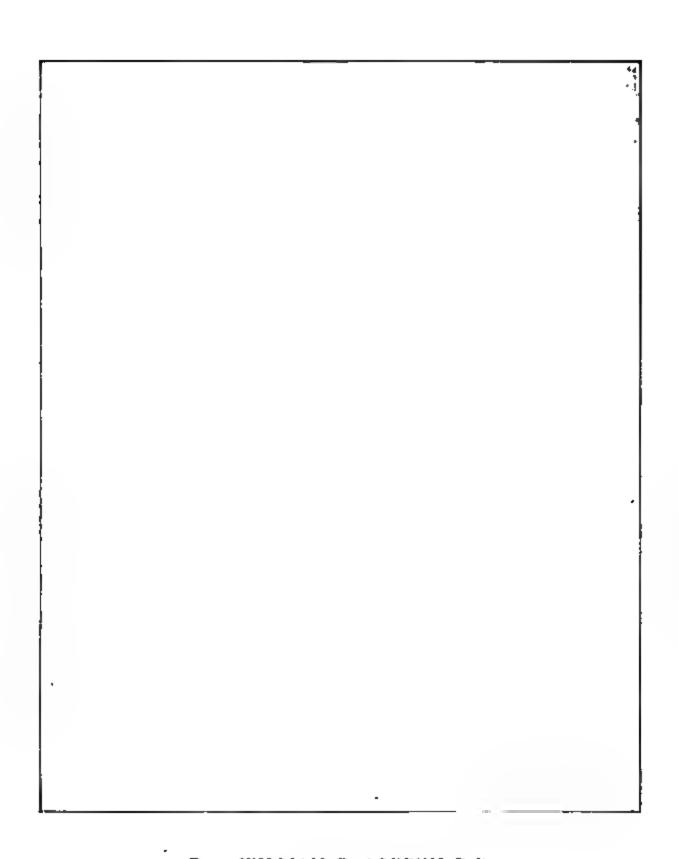
#### Children of 1st wife:

- i. Frances Doane, b. Dec. 9, 1841, at St. Louis; d. July 20, 1842.
- 418. ii. Joseph Howard, b. April 20, 1842, at St. Louis.
- 419. iii. HENRY EGERTON, b. April 19, 1846, at St. Louis.

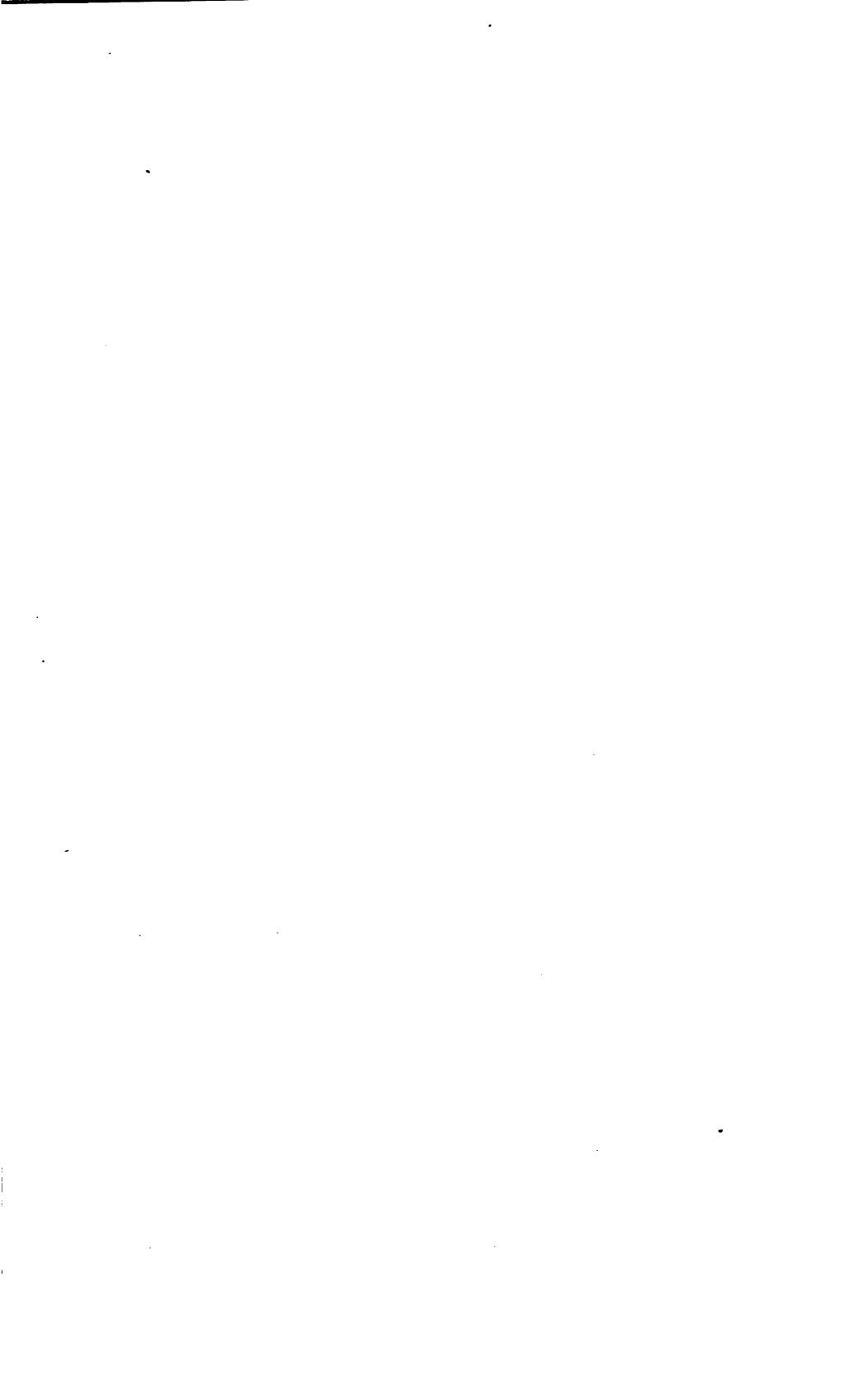
#### Children of 2d wife:

- 420. iv. Mary, b. Nov. 16, 1848, at Booneville, Mo.
- 421. v. ELIZABETH, b. May 10, 1850, at Booneville.
  - vi. Thomas Knowlton, b. Sept. 26, 1852, at Columbus, Miss.; d. there, Aug. 21, 1853.
  - vii. Edward Yerger, twin, b. Jan. 1, 1855; d. Aug. 13, 1873, at Dennison, Texas.
- 422. viii. Helen, twin, b. Jan. 1, 1855, at Jackson, Miss.
- 221. REV. WILLIAM BESTON CORBYN, D.D. (Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 1, 1814, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. 1st, Harriet N. Wright of Glastonbury, Conn., Aug. 13, 1841; she d. Jan. 21, 1843. He m. 2d, Mary Frances McDonald of Hannibal, Mo., July 11, 1855.

William B. Corbyn moved with his parents to Henrietta, Monroe Co., N. Y., where he attended the public schools and the Monroe Academy, and in 1832 entered Phillips Academy at Andover, Mass. He entered Yale College in 1835 and graduated in 1839. He supported himself while getting his education by teaching and other After his graduation from Yale he accepted a position as tutor in Phillips Academy, continuing in that work for four years. It was while there that his thoughts were directed toward the ministry of the church. parents were Baptists and he himself during his college career had contemplated entering the ministry of that body. He was drawn to the Episcopal Church largely through the influence of his brother, Almon D. Corbyn. He was confirmed in that church in 1843 by Bishop Eastburn of Massachusetts, and on St. Stephen's day of that year was ordained to the diaconate in Trinity Church, His earnest and candid nature would not permit him to enter the Episcopal Church without carefully studying its teachings and history. He entered most heartily upon the work of the church, first as temporary rector of St. Paul's Church, Boston, and then for a time in Connecticut, where he was ordained to the priesthood in November, 1844, Bishop Doane of New Jersey preaching the sermon. In 1846 Mr. Corbyn went to Missouri and was rector of St. Paul's Church at St. Louis for eighteen months under Bishop Hawks. During this time he published "A Manual of Devotion." In 1848 at the earnest request of the Bishop he became president of St. Paul's College at Palmyra, Mo., and rector of the church there, where he continued most of the time until 1871. Under his management this little Episcopal college came into a flourishing condition. He went to Quincy, Ill., in 1871, where he assumed the rectorship of the Church of the Good Shepherd. Here he exercised a great influence far beyond the boundaries of his parish. Besides his church work he was for many years principal of the Quincy High School until this double duty became too arduous for his declining years. Dr. Corbyn visited England twice, in 1866 and in 1888. There he met many leaders of the Church of England and formed delightful



REV. WILLIAM B. CORBYN, D D , Died at Quincy, Ill., March 28, 1902.



acquaintances. Dr. Corbyn was a profound student of the English classics and considerable of a writer, among his works being poems of great beauty and merit. had great personal influence over men and induced many young men to enter the ministry of the church. He was indeed a complete man without guile, strong and rugged in character, combined with simplicity, sweetness, and purity. His very presence was inspiring to faith and uplifting to the spiritual sense of those around him. life was a constant walk with God. He was greatly devoted to the church and believed in its high mission in the . world. On Dec. 26, 1901, he quietly celebrated the 58th anniversary of his ordination as pastor and many friends called to pay their respects to the old man and wish him good cheer. He passed away on Good Friday, March 28, 1902. His widow and daughter still reside at Quincy, Ill.

- 423. i. WILLIAM WRIGHT, b. Jan. 21, 1843.
  - ii. Ептн, b. Aug. 17, 1856.
- 222. Marcia Priscilla Corbyn (Joseph, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 31, 1816, at Henrietta, N. Y. She was educated at the Monroe Academy there. She spent most of her mature years in teaching in several towns in Missouri and three years at Wolf Hall, Denver, Col. About 1878 she went to Anamosa, Iowa, where she kept a private school assisted by her brother, Rev. J. I. Corbyn. Under the tutelage of these able and cultured teachers the pupils attained not only thorough scholarship but also a training in habits of courtesy, grace, and refinement. She is affectionately remembered by her pupils, on whose hearts her record is written. She died Aug. 3, 1890, and was interred at Quincy, Ill.
- 223. Joseph Ingoldsby Corbyn (Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 13, 1820, in Henrietta, Monroe Co., N. Y. He commenced his education in a log schoolhouse and afterwards attended the Monroe High School at Henrietta. At the age of 21 he began to teach, and taught school during the winter season

and worked on his father's farm in the summer. 1847 he settled with his parents near Mt. Clemens, Mich. In 1848 his parents died and the next year he joined his brother, Rev. William Beston Corbyn, in a school subsequently known as St. Paul's College at Palmyra, Mo. Here he studied and assisted in teaching for eight years. On Dec. 9, 1855, he was admitted to deacon's orders by Bishop Hawks in Christ's Church, St. Louis. lowing autumn the bishop sent him to take charge of the parish at Independence and to look after Kansas City, He organized the first parish of the Episcopal Mo. Church in Kansas City soon after going there. He remained there until the spring of 1861, when he was called to assist in a parish and school for boys in Hamden, Conn. In January, 1864, he returned to Missouri to become a teacher in Mr. Wm. H. Glasgow's family at St. Louis and to officiate on Sundays in a small chapel of Christ's Church. After ten or twelve years' residence in Mr. Glasgow's family he resigned his charge and in April, 1875, he took charge of St. Mark's Parish, Anamosa, He was admitted to priest's orders in Christ's Church Chapel, St. Louis, December, 1864, by Bishop Hawks. He never married. He d. May 1, 1900, at Anamoša, Iowa.

224. Horatio N. Corbin (William, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Aug. 16 (town record) or 27 (family records), 1806, at Woodstock, Conn.; moved with his parents when still a babe to E. Henrietta, N. Y., where he attended the academy and taught several terms; m. Harriet Hovey of Henrietta, who d. April, 1872. He was a lawyer until his health failed, when he engaged in farming and fruit culture. "A better man never lived," writes one who knew him. He d. April 12, 1873.

# Ch. b. at W. Henrietta, N. Y.:

- i. HARTWELL VINTON, b. April 12, 1835; d. Nov. 19, 1856.
- ii. Philetus Horatio, b. April 7, 1838; m. Ellen F. Nichols, Jan. 1, 1867, at W. Henrietta, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. MILTON P., b. Feb. 29, 1868; m. Julia Woodworth, June 22, 1901, at Coshocton, N. Y. They re-

side at Philadelphia, Pa. Child: Gilbert Woodworth, b. Sept. 24, 1904.

2. GILBERT H., b. March 30, 1870; m. May

Mahew, Aug. 5, 1894, at Buffalo, N. Y.

3. ARTHUR I., b. Sept. 3, 1872; m. Elinore Fitz-patrick, April 11, 1902, at Buffalo, N. Y.

4. FRANK M., b. Sept. 13, 1874.

424. iii. LUTHER FRANKLIN, b. Dec. 9, 1840.

iv. HARRIET MARION, d. young.

v.

- SARAH F., b. Jan. 1, 1842; m. Rev. Abijah L. Baker, Oct. 31, 1861; he was a Baptist clergyman, a graduate of the University of Rochester in the class of '61, and of the Theological Seminary in '64. He was pastor at Oakland and San Francisco, Cal. He d. Dec. 15, 1866. She and her dau., Susie Manning Baker, b. Jan. 1, 1866, are manicures and chiropodists at 635 Granite Building, Rochester, N. Y.
- vi. HENRIETTA MARIA, b. Feb. 22, 1845; d. March 4, 1883.
- vii. GILBERT MONSON. d. March 4, 1865, aged 20 years.

425. viii. ADELBERT CLAYTON, b. Dec. 7, 1852.

- ix. HATTIE MAY, b. 1856; d. June 20, 1873; aged 16.
- 225. Howard Corbin (William, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 1, 1813, in Henrietta, N. Y.; m. Mary K. Hakes in 1839; she was b. Jan. 19, 1814, in Pitcher, N. Y., and d. Nov. 21, 1904, at Mt. Clemens, Mich. He d. at Armada, Mich., Dec. 6, 1863.

# Children b. at Armada, Mich.:

i. Deborah, b. July 19, 1841; m. Adam Rexford, and had 5 ch. She d. July 6, 1902, at Thayer, Kansas, where her family resides.

ii. MARY, b. May 17, 1844; d. Nov. 15, 1863.

- iii. MERCY PERMELIA, b. April 9, 1847; d. Nov. 16, 1863, at Armada.
- iv. Malvina J., b. July 5, 1849; m. James Wade, May 4, 1876. Children:
  - 1. Howard Corbin Wade, b. July 30, 1880, at Flint, Mich.
  - 2. MAUD MAE WADE, b. July 17, 1882, at Mt. Clemens, Mich.
  - 3. MARY FLORENCE WADE, b. Aug. 29, 1887, at Mt. Clemens.
- v. Evaline, b. July 4, 1857; d. Nov. 8, 1863, at Armada.
- 226. JOHN STILLMAN CORBIN (Abel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 18, 1817, at Woodstock, Conn.; m. Mary Etta Stump Oct. 12, 1841, at Hopewell Center, N. Y.; she was b. in 1820 in Pennsylvania.

# Children:

426. i. Hiron F., b. Nov. 6, 1843.

427. ii. Sabin J., b. Sept. 29, 1845.

iii. Susan C., b. Oct. 9, 1847; m. Philip Aldrich, who was b. July 15, 1846. Children:

1. SABIN P. ALDRICH, b. Aug. 10, 1873.

- 2. Blanch E. Aldrich, b. July 28, 1876; m. Ernest Wiseman; d. in 1900.
- 3. HULDAH M. ALDRICH, b. May 26, 1879; m. Philip Shook, in 1904.
  - 4. ABBIE V. ALDRICH, b. July 5, 1882.

5. EMMA C. ALDRICH, b. Aug. 7, 1885.6. HIRON F. ALDRICH, b. March 7, 1888.

- iv. Hulda L., b. May 3, 1849; m. Newton Hullett; d. Sept. 23, 1884. Ch.: Minnie, John, Cora, Orvey, Belle, and Orris Hullett.
- v. Mary E., b. April 16, 1851; m. Frank Burchard; d. Feb. 27, 1892; one ch., d. in infancy.
- vi. ELLA M., b. June 28, 1853; m. Charles Aldrich; he d. in 1901; no ch., but adopted two.
- vii. John A. W., b. March 26, 1857; d. Oct. 6, 1857, at Armada, Mich.
- 227. ARTEMAS H. CORBIN (Jedediah, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 24, 1831, at Charlton; m. Elmira J. Kenney of Putnam in March, 1856. He went to Thompson in 1849 and to Putnam in 1855, where he began in 1857 to manufacture shoes. In this business he became quite successful and established a factory where he carried on the business for many years. He was elected selectman in Putnam for several years. From 1901 to 1904 he was warden of the town farm at Leicester, Mass. He now resides at Putnam, Conn. His wife d. May 8, 1904, and was buried at Putnam.
- 228. Calvin R. Corbin (Jedediah, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 12, 1833; m. Caroline Elizabeth Fairfield at Putnam's Wolf Den in Pomfret, Conn., July 4, 1861. She was the dau. of Jason W. and Hannah D. (Chandler) Fairfield, and was b. at Pomfret Nov. 9, 1835. She was a graduate of the Brooklyn Female Academy, now Packer Institute, and was a teacher and writer. She has written the following books: "Our Bible Class and the Good that Came of It," "Rebecca, or Woman's Secret," "His Marriage Vow," "Belle and the Boys," "Letters from a Chimney Corner," "A Woman's Philosophy of Love." She has also written many maga-

CAROLINE F. (MRS. CALVIN R.) CORBIN. Chicago, III.



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CALVIN R. CORBIN, Chicago, III. 1882, zine articles, and published pamphlets opposing woman suffrage. She was one of the original founders of the Association for the Advancement of Women, and is president of the Illinois Association Opposed to the Extension of Suffrage to Women. She has taken a deep interest in the Corbin Genealogy, and it is she who had the gravestones of our first ancestors at Woodstock renovated and reset.

Calvin R. Corbin spent his youth in Oxford and Thompson, went west in 1855, and was engaged in the survey of the route for the Chicago & Northwestern Railway. In 1857 he settled in Chicago, where he became a successful merchant and a prominent citizen. Address, 597 Dearborn Ave., Chicago, Ill.

#### Children:

- i. Grace, b. July 2, 1862; d. April 16, 1863.
- ii. Frank Nichols, b. Dec. 22, 1864.
- iii. CALVIN DANA, b. May 15, 1867.
- iv. CAROLINE F., b. May 15, 1867; d. March 18, 1870.
- 428. v. John Rich, b. May 2, 1870.
  - vi. LAWRENCE PAUL, b. June 27, 1876.
- 229. Calista Corbin (Dexter, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. July 25, 1819; m. Charles A. Rallion, March 31, 1841, at Charlton, Mass. He was b. at Boston, Jan. 28, 1816; d. Jan. 25, 1881, at Norwich, Conn. She d. Jan. 23, 1892, at Norwich.

#### Children:

- i. HERMAN DEXTER RAILION, b. Oct. 11, 1847, at Charlton; m. Emma Crocker, Oct., 1873, at Norwich.
- ii. ALMIRA CORBIN RALLION, b. May 13, 1850; m. DeWitt C. Nichols, Oct. 18, 1873, at Norwich; d. Feb., 1876, at Worcester.
- 230. Almira D. Corbin (Dexter, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 11, 1825, at Charlton; m. Asa Beals Taft, May 28, 1847, at Oxford. He was b. Jan. 25, 1824; d. March. 28, 1892, at Oxford. She d. in the spring of 1898.

- i. ARTHUR LEROY TAFT, b. Oct. 4, 1851; m. Nellie Dunham, Nov., 1879, at Dudley.
- ii. Asa Willis Taft, b. June 16, 1856; m. Martha L. Craig, 1880, at Charlton. Res. Oxford, Mass.

231. SCHUYLER DEXTER CORBIN (Dexter, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 25, 1828; m. 1st, Margaret Parish, May 1, 1849. She was b. at Oxford, 1831; d. at Charlton, Sept. 28, 1849. He m. 2d, Mary Eliza Fitts, Nov. 19, 1855. She was b. June 15, 1833, dau. of Col. John and Catherine (Town) Fitts. Lives in Spencer, Mass.

# Children:

- i. HENRY FITTS, b. July 29, 1858; m. Ella Watson, Oct., 1889, at Spencer.
- ii. FANNIE ISABEL, b. Aug. 21, 1860.
- 232. Otis Corbin, Jr. (Otis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. 1818; m. 1st, Nancy H. Monroe, Aug. 17, 1843. She d. He m., 2d, Julia A. West (dau. of Samuel and Mary West of Rehoboth), Dec. 21, 1856. He was a farmer in Minnesota in early life; then he removed to Higley, Florida, where he grew oranges. He is now dead.

#### Children:

- i. WILLIAM H., b. March 22, 1845; d. July 22, 1845.
- ii. WILIAM H., 2d, b. Oct. 10, 1849.
- iii. CHARLES E., b. Feb. 11, 1852.
- iv. Mary, b. Aug. 10, 1857.
- 233. Rhoda Wakefield Corbin (Otis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 2, 1820; m. William Henry Riley, Feb., 1844; he was b. Aug., 1819, and d. Oct., 1887. He was a jeweler for 30 years, and then was engaged in the coal and wood business until his death. Mrs. Riley lives at 10 Elmwood Ave., N. Attleboro, Mass.

- i. WILLIAM HENRY RILEY, Jr., b. Dec., 1844; is in the jewelry business at N. Attleboro.
- ii. Frederick Spencer Riley, b. March, 1846; is also a jeweler at N. Attleboro.
- iii. ELMER IRVING RILEY, b. Feb., 1850; is in the coal and wood business at N. Attleboro.
- iv. Susan Jane Riley, b. Sept., 1851; m. and resides in N. Attleboro.
- v. SARAH JANETTE RILEY, b. Sept., 1859; d. 1882.
- vi. CHARLES EDWIN RILEY, b. 1861; is in business with his brother Elmer.
- 234. Nelson Corbin (Otis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. March 14, 1826; m. Nancy Maria Ruggles,

CHARLEN AND LUCY E. CORBIN, Carrollton, Ia. Taken in 1899.



Oct. 9, 1848, at Wrentham, Mass. He was a mason and builder at Franklin, Mass.

# Children:

- i. EUGENE NELSON, b. Sept. 7, 1850; d. April 30, 1851.
- ii. CLARA MARIA, b. Nov. 29, 1852; m. Laurein Frederick Crafts of Boston, Oct. 10, 1882. No ch.
- 429. iii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Nov. 9, 1855.
- 430. iv. SARAH NELLIE, b. July 24, 1858.
  - v. ADA LOUISE, b. Feb. 12, 1861; m. John H. Hamilton of Franklin, Nov. 16, 1880. Ch.: Frank A., Edith Louise. and Davis Hamilton.
  - vi. ALICE MAUD, b. June 4, 1871; m. Everet Francis Arnold of Franklin, Oct. 8, 1891. Ch.: Clarence Corbin, b. Aug. 14, 1892.
- 235. Charles Corben (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Dec. 15 (or 31), 1816; m. Lucy Esther Slack of Stonington, Conn., June 10, 1838; she was the dau. of Samuel S. and Sarah (Leeds) Slack, and was b. Sept. 5, 1814. He lived in Webster until 1860, then he went to Plymouth, Conn., and thence in 1861 to Calamus, Iowa. He enlisted Aug. 12, 1862, in Co. D, 26th Iowa Vol. Inf.; was wounded Jan. 11, 1863, at Arkansas Post, Ark.; mustered out June 6, 1865, at Washington. In 1871 he moved to Carrollton, Iowa, where he lived until his death, Feb. 1, 1902. His wife (who is called by a grandson "one of the best women that ever lived") d. near Carrollton, Ia., Feb. 16, 1901.

- i. Charles Dexter, b. March 7, 1839; d. Nov. 24, 1851.
- ii. ALBERT EMORY, b. Sept. 4, 1840; d. March 4, 1843.
- 431. iii. Herbert Winslow, b. Jan. 29, 1842.
- 432. iv. MARY ELIZABETH, b. Feb. 10, 1844.
  - v. Franklin Leeds, b. July 20, 1845; d. Aug. 12, 1846.
- 433. vi. HARRIET ELVIRA, b. Oct. 30, 1846.
- 434. vii. Lucietta, b. June 27, 1848.
  - viii. WILLIAM HENRY, b. July 12, 1849; d. July 17, 1849.
- 435. ix. Charles Davis, b. Nov. 20, 1853.
- 436. x. SIDNEY EMORY, b. Sept. 17, 1855.
  - xi. Horace Edward, b. Nov. 24, 1857, in Plymouth, Conn. In 1883 he and his brother Sidney were kidnapped in San Francisco and put on a whaler for a two-year trip; he d. of the hardship, Oct. 1, 1888.
- 236. RUTH CORBIN (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. 1817, in Webster, Mass.; m. Emory Davis

of Oxford, Nov. 15, 1836; they lived in Oxford until 1866, when they moved to Prescott, Iowa, where Mr. Davis d. in 1868, and she d. in 1871.

- i. ALBERT DAVIS, b. Sept. 1, 1851, at Oxford, Mass.; m. Margaret Euretta Lambertson, May 19, 1875, at DeWitt, Iowa; she was b. March 16, 1855, in Jackson Co., Ia.; she d. April 10, 1897. He m. 2d, Laura Belle Woodward, April 8, 1900, in Beresford, S. Dak. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES ALBERT DAVIS, b. July 3, 1877, in DeWitt, Ia.; m. Eva L. Lugar, Dec. 25, 1900, in Lafayette, Ind.; one ch., Euretta L., b. Jan. 16, 1901.
  - 2. WILLIAM CLYDE DAVIS, b. Aug. 18, 1881, at Lake View, Ia.; m. Lillie M. Dowden, Nov. 26, 1902, at Tacoma, Wash. Ch.: Lester Marvin, b. March 8, 1904, at Tacoma.
    - 3. CLARENCE LEVI DAVIS, twin to above.
  - 4. GRACE EURETTA DAVIS, b. Sept. 27, 1883, in Aurora Co., S. Dak.
  - 5. Frank Jessie Davis, b. July 2, 1885, in Aurora Co., S. Dak.
  - 6. ADA RUTH DAVIS, b. March 12, 1897, at Beresford, S. Dak.
  - 7. EVELYN ALBERTA DAVIS, b. Feb. 9, 1903, in Sioux Falls, S. Dak.
- ii. George Henry Davis, lives at 188 Austin St., Worcester, Mass.
- iii. Lewis Franklin Davis, b. Nov. 2, 1856, in Oxford, Mass.; m. Selona Martha Daggett, March 3, 1883, in Prescott, Ia.; she was b. Aug. 26, 1859, in Oquowka, Ill.; no ch.; res. Ranier, Wash.
- iv. CHARLES EMORY DAVIS. b. ——; lives at Klon-dike, near Lafayette, Ind.
- 237. WILLIAM CORBIN (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Dec. 27, 1818, in Webster, Mass.; m., 1st, Mary Jane French of Palmer, Mass., May 18, 1845, at Thompson (so Thompson town records); she was said to be a native of England; she d. at Canaan, Conn., Sept. 5, 1851. He m., 2d, Maria L. Holder, who was b. in Mass. in 1831 and d. in Clinton County, Ia., Sept. 4, 1871. William Corbin lived first in Webster, where he was employed at Slater's woolen mill; he moved to Windsor, Conn., and later to Canaan, Conn., where he was an overseer in a woolen mill. He removed to Iowa, and with his brother Charles enlisted in the Union Army. He d. in Calamus, Ia., March 6, 1901.

# Children of 1st wife, b. in Canaan, Conn.:

i. SABAH B., b. Aug. 26, 1847; m. — Gray; live in Poquonock, Conn.

ii. ELVIRA H., b. July 20, 1849; m. O. C. Carpenter; live in Cedar Rapids, Ia. Children:

1. MORTIMER CORBIN CARPENTER, b. July 10,

1868, in Woodbine, Ia.

2. Myrtle E. Carpenter, b. Aug. 2, 1875, in 'Cedar Rapids, Ia.

3. Burt C. Carpenter, b. Nov. 26, 1877, in

Cedar Rapids.

4. BRUCE CARPENTER, b. Feb. 11, 1879; d. Nov. 24, 1883, in Cedar Rapids.

5. Bessie E. Carpenter, b. April 16, 1884; d.

Dec. 23, 1891, in Cedar Rapids.

iii. Mary Jane, b. Aug. 29, 1851; d. in Traer, Ia., March 4, 1888.

#### Children of 2d wife:

iv. WILLIAM, b. Feb. 22, 1854, at Canaan, Conn.; m. 1st, Catherine Morrow, June 12, 1877, in Wheatland, Ia.; she was b. Feb. 25, 1855, in Canada, and d. Sept. 9, 1898, in Calamus, Ia. He m. 2d, Katie Knebler, March 5, 1903, in Calamus.

v. Charles, b. April, 1859, in Windsor, Conn.; d. Sept.

15, 1868, in Cedar Rapids, Ia.

- vi. George, b. April 8, 1862, in Windsor, Conn.; m. Lizzie Miller, Nov. 14, 1883, at Calamus. She was b. Sept. 10, 1861, at Hanover, Ill. Live at Calamus. Children:
  - 1. ELVIRA, b. April 12, 1884.
  - 2. EMMA, b. Jan. 23, 1886.
  - 3. ALICE, b. Dec. 6, 1887.
- 238. ROYAL CORBIN, Jr. (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 15, 1821, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Laura S. Baker Feb. 19, 1847. She was b. at Tolland, Conn., June 7, 1824. He was a dentist at Stafford and Putnam; d. at Putnam March 16, 1860 (drowned).

- i. Charles Henry, b. June 19, 1848; was a carpenter; d. March 7, 1873, at Dudley, Mass.
- ii. ELIZABETH EDITHA, b. April 2, 1850, at Oxford; d. Aug. 2, 1852, at Dudley.
- iii. George Seymour, b. April 9, 1852; a carpenter; m. Ida F. Aldrich of Thompson, Conn., Jan. 19, 1876. Ch.: Charles Henry, b. Dec. 23, 1879, Thompson.
- iv. HATTIE ELVIRA. b. July 4. 1854, at Grosvenordale, Conn.; m. Edwin A. Hills of Dudley, March 11, 1883. He was b. at Ware, Mass, 1851. She m. 2d. Hale. Res. 34 Orleans St., Springfield, Mass.

- v. ROYAL HERBERT, b. 1856, at Ellington, Conn.; m. Sarah McGrady, Feb., 1879, at Worcester; d. Jan. 21, 1885, at Dudley. She lives at 17 Summer St., Worcester, Mass. Children:
  - 1. ROYAL HERBERT, b. March 1, 1880, at Thompson; resides in Boston.
    - 2. George, b. Sept. 19, 1882, at Worcester.
  - 3. CATHERINE LAURETTE, b. Sept. 19, 1884, at Worcester.
- vi. IDA ESTELLA, b. Dec. 19, 1858, at Plainville, Conn.; d. Oct. 14, 1872.
- 239. Mary Ann Corbin (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 25, 1825, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Josiah Young March 24, 1844, at Oxford, Mass.; he was b. in Windham Co., Conn., July 20, 1823. They moved to Prescott, Iowa, where he d. Feb. 13, 1900, and she d. Jan. 30, 1900.

- i. EMILY YOUNG, b. July 19, 1845, in Conn.; m. Charles Smith. Nov. 29, 1866, in Clinton Co., Ia.; he was b. about 1840, in N. Y. state. Children:
  - 1. Howard Smith, d. young.
  - 2. JESSIE SMITH, b. March, 1870.
  - 3. Anna Smith, b. March, 1872.
  - 4. EDWARD SMITH, b. Aug., 1874.
  - 5. EMILY SMITH, b. Dec. 22, 1875.
  - 6. GRACE SMITH, b. 1881.
- ii. HERBERT R. YOUNG, b. Aug. 28, 1847, in Conn.; m. Sarah C. Leonard, March 11, 1876, in Corning, Ia. She was b. in Ogle Co., Ill., and d. Oct. 26, 1898. He d. Jan. 9, 1905, in Chanute, Kansas. Children:
  - 1. SARAH J. YOUNG, b. Jan. 10, 1881.
  - 2. Josephine A. Young, b. Nov., 1883; d. Sept., 1899.
    - 3. MABEL A. YOUNG, b. May, 1886.
    - 4. GROVER A. YOUNG, b. Oct. 5, 1888.
    - 5. WILLIAM H. YOUNG, b. Aug., 1890.
- iii. Josephine Young, b. Jan. 19, 1850, in Conn.; m. Ransom Leonard. Feb. 26, 1868, in Clinton Co., Ia.; he was b. about 1848, in Ill. Children:
  - 1. MARY A. LEONARD, b. March, 1869.
  - 2. Louie Leonard, b. Feb., 1871.
  - 3. HIRAM J. LEONARD, b. Feb., 1875.
  - 4. Bertram Leonard, b. 1877.
  - 5. WILLIAM F. LEONARD, b. 1880.
- iv. Angelina Young, b. Dec. 27, 1860, in Clinton Co., Ia.; d. Oct. 12, 1874, in Prescott, Ia.
- v. Josiah Young, b. Dec. 20, 1864; m. Mary E. Wilson, Nov. 7, 1888; she was b. Aug. 23, 1869, in Muscatine Co., Ia. Children:
  - 1. Blanche Young, b. Oct. 26, 1889.
  - 2. Josiah Ross Young, b. Dec. 22, 1891.

- 3. RALPH HERBERT YOUNG, b. March 20, 1894; d. March 10, 1895.
  - JESSIE OLIVER YOUNG, b. April 14, 1896.
     CHARLES ROYAL YOUNG, b. March 15, 1899.
- 6. MARY EDITH YOUNG, b. Oct. 11, 1903; d. June 1, 1904.
- vi. WILIAM H. Young, b. June 7, 1857; m. Cora L. Gumm, June 16, 1879.
- 240. Harriet Corbin (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. April 10, 1829, in Dudley, Mass.; m. Laburtis Darwin Eastman, M.D., of Southbridge, Mass., Aug. 23, 1846, at Thompson, Conn. He was b. in Vermont March 11, 1824. They removed to Prescott, Iowa, about 1861 and in 1863 to Winfield, Kansas.

- i. EDGAR FRANKLIN EASTMAN.
- ii. CHARLES HENRY EASTMAN, b. Dec. 4, 1850, at Union, Conn.; m. Nancy Jane Lepley, Dec. 25, 1872, in Hardin Co. Ia. She was b. March 2, 1850, in Knox Co., Ohio. They live at Burden, Kan. Children:
  - 1. THOMAS REUBEN EASTMAN, b. Aug. 10, 1874, in Hardin Co., Ia.
  - 2. Cora Jane Eastman, b. April 13, 1876, in Hardin Co., Ia.
  - 3. WILLIAM EDGAR EASTMAN, b. Jan. 8, 1878, in Crowley Co., Kan.
  - 4. HARRIET MELISSA EASTMAN, b. Dec. 17, 1879, in Crowley Co., Kan.
  - 5. HENRY ARTHUR EASTMAN, b. March 17, 1882, in Crowley Co., Kan.
  - 6. MARGARET MAY EASTMAN, b. May 8, 1884, in Harper Co., Kan.; d. May 17, 1904.
  - 7. Rosa Ethel Eastman, b. Aug. 18, 1886, in Harper Co., Kan.; d. Aug. 17, 1887.
  - 8. Bessie Ellen Eastman, b. July 28, 1889, in Harper Co., Kan.
  - 9. ELVINA EASTMAN, b. March 29, 1892, in Harper Co., Kan.
- iii. REUBEN EASTMAN, b. April 1, 1853, at Union, Conn.; m. Amanda E. Wilkinson, Dec. 24, 1879, at Tisdale, Crowley Co., Kan.; she was b. April 14, 1845, in Kinmandy, Marion Co., Ill. They live at Burton, Okla. No ch.
- iv. HATTIE JANE EASTMAN, b. 1854, in Warren, Mass.; m. Edward Randolph Hough, in 1874, at Tipton Grove, Hardin Co., Ia.; he was b. in 1851, in Pittsburg, Pa. They live at Hubbard, Ia. Children:
  - 1. BERTHA ELNORA HOUGH, b. June 13, 1876.
  - 2. CLYDE EASTMAN HOUGH, b. Aug. 21, 1880.
  - 3. ISABELLE EDNA HOUGH, b. July 8, 1883.

4. Nora Mayme Hough, b. Aug. 26, 1887.

5. Bessie Helen Hough, b. Nov. 26, 1892.

- v. LABURTIS DARWIN EASTMAN, Jr., b. April 21, 1860, at Warren, Mass.; m. Martha Belle Howe, Aug. 6, 1884, in Crowley Co., Kan.; she was b. in Missouri, Aug. 11, 1859. They live at Burton, Okla. Children:
  - 1. FLORENCE EASTMAN, b. March 25, 1887; d. July 23, 1887, in Crowley Co., Kan.

2. Blanche Eastman, b. Sept. 14, 1888, in

Crowley Co., Kan.

vi and vii. Also Edna (m. Reuben Moore), and Mary Eliza Eastman.

241. ELVIRA CORBIN (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. May 19, 1831, at Webster, Mass.; m. Vernon Chaffee, son of Joel Chaffee of Thompson, March 20, 1855. He was an overseer in a cotton mill at Wilsonville, in Sutton, Mass.; was a soldier in the Civil War in Co. G, 4th Mass. Cavalry. He d. April 14, 1892. Mrs. Chaffee resides at Oxford, Mass.

# Children:

i. Annah Chaffee, b. June 7, ——; m. Lewis Chaffee of Westford, Conn., in 1874. Ch.: Josephine, b. 1879, d. 1894; Geneva, b. 1883; and Everett, b. 1885. Lewis Chaffee d., and she m. 2d, William Case of Westford, and they have 2 ch.: Harold, b. 1901, and Daisy, b. 1902.

ii. MARY EMILY CHAFFEE, b. March 7, 1868; m. Arthur W. Brown of Littleton, Mass., March 10, 1888. They reside in Oxford, and have one ch.: Raymond

Clayton, b. Sept. 7, 1894.

242. Lewis Angel Corbin of Rockville, Conn. (Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Sept. 18, 1822, at Dudley. His father d. when he was 18 years old, so he early became accustomed to hard work and responsibility. After a year at work at Warrensburg, N. Y., he returned to Dudley in 1843 and began work at stone cutting. He went to Rockville in 1846 and took charge of the stone work on the mills then being erected. In 1851 he went to California via Panama, and spent two years in mining. In 1853 he returned to Rockville and the next year began manufacturing envelopes, forming the firm White & Corbin. He also continued his business as a stone mason, erecting buildings in Rockville and Ellington and the stone church at Great Barrington, Mass.

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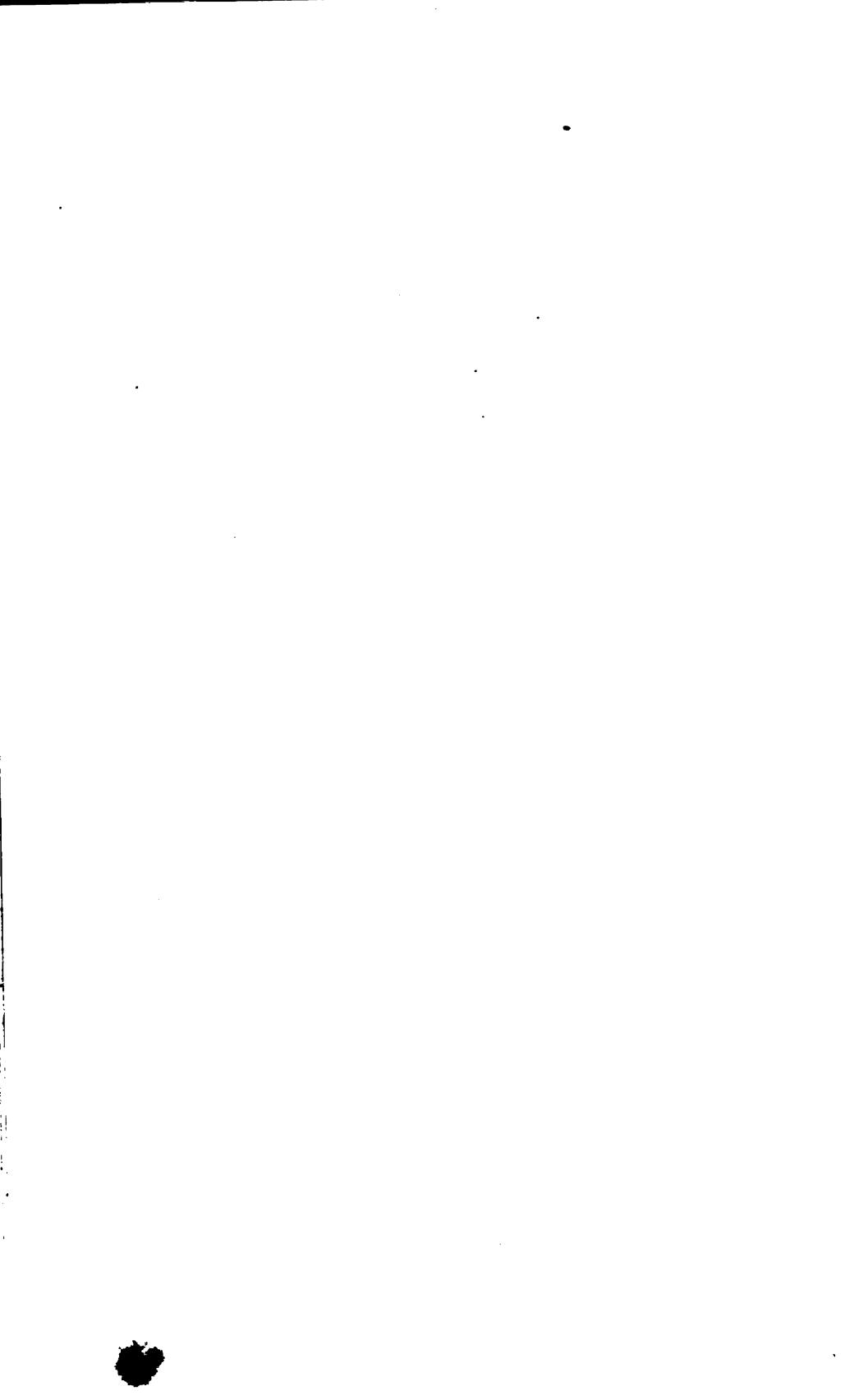
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He used the income from this line of work to capitalize the new envelope industry, in which Mr. Corbin was one of the pioneers. In 1857 a mill was built, and later the Florence mill was purchased and adapted to the business and there it is still carried on. The firm of White & Corbin also carried on a considerable gristmill, grain, and coal business in the early days, but this was given up as the envelope business increased. By perseverance and energy the latter was made very successful. Mr. White is now dead and Mr. Corbin is the head of the firm, known now as "The United States Envelope Co." He has been one of the leading business men of Rockville for fifty years and has seen it develop to its present size and prosperity. He was a promoter and director of the Rockville Since 1866 he has been president of the board Railroad. of trustees of the M. E. Church at Rockville; in 1867 he had charge of erecting the present building and he has always been a liberal supporter of the church. He m. Mary Upham of Thompson Sept. 18, 1845. She was b. Dec. 10, 1822, the dau. of Asa and Olive (Jordan) Upham; she d. July 21, 1900. He m. 2d, Mrs. Laura (Lord) Ellinwood June 12, 1902. She was the dau. of Abel Lord of Athol, Mass.

#### Children:

- 437. i. LOUISA, b. March 27, 1847, at Dudley. 438. ii. IMOGENE, b. July 12, 1851, at Rockville.
- 439. iii. MARY ABBY, b. June 16, 1856.
  - iv. Frank, b. Oct. 7, 1857; d. Nov. 15, 1858. v. Ida, b. May 12, 1862; d. July 13, 1862.
  - vi. Linie, b. Aug. 25, 1863; d. Nov. 19, 1863.
- 243. MARY ELIZA CORBIN (Lewis, Joshua, James, Clement), b. May 1, 1833; m. Orville Mortimer Button; he was b. in 1825 at Agawam, Mass. She d. June 24, 1854. He now resides at Santa Cruz, Cal.

# Child:

- i. Lewis Corbin Button, b. July 7, 1848; m. Lydia Ann Sheffield; she was b. June 22, 1849, and d. July 22, 1903. Lewis C. Button is a carriage painter in Waltham, Mass. Children:
  - 1. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN BUTTON, b. Aug. 13, 1879; m. Addie Van Orne, June 1, 1898. One child: Carl Irwin Button.

- 2. FREDERICK SHEFFIELD BUTTON, b. June 10, 1881.
- 3. EDITH MAY BUTTON, b. April 29, 1883; d. Jan. 23, 1885.
  - 4. FLORENCE MABEL BUTTON, b. June 22, 1885.
  - 5. LEWIS CORBIN BUTTON, b. Aug. 22, 1887.
- 244. John Alexander Corbin (Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 30, 1835, at Dudley; m., 1st, Lorinda Buckman; she was b. in 1833, and d. April 6, 1862. He m., 2d, Nellie Carroll, who was b. Sept. 25, 1846. He is a stone mason at Rockville, Conn.

#### Children of John and Lorinda B. Corbin:

- i. Lucella Maria, b. Aug. 9, 1856; m. Thomas White of Windsor. Children:
  - 1. John Arthur White.
  - 2. RUTH WHITE.
- ii. Infant son, b. and d. 1859.

# Children of John and Nellie C. Corbin.

- iii. John Arthur, b. Oct. 12, 1868; m. Sadie Myrtie Rodman of New Britain, April 19, 1893; he is a brick mason at South Manchester, Conn. Children:
  - 1. FLORENCE, b. Jan. 16, 1894.

2. RUTH, b. Sept. 2, 1901.

- iv. Rose May Belle, b. May 2, 1870; m. Charles Everett Shepard of Windsorville, Dec. 10, 1889; he was b. March 9, 1856; she d. Oct. 25, 1900. Ch.: Naomi Shepard, b. May 28, 1892.
- v. Lewis Alexander, b. Aug. 26, 1872; is a brick-mason at Rockville.
- vi. DAISY, b. July 2, 1874; d. Oct. 28, 1898.
- vii. Imogene, b. May 8, 1883.
- 245. SARAH ANN MARIA CORBIN (Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Aug. 18, 1839, at Dudley; came with her mother to Rockville, Conn.; m. George Washington Goodrich Feb. 20, 1860; he was b. Nov. 9, 1838, at Bolton, Conn., son of Chauncey Goodrich; he traveled for the White & Corbin Envelope Co.; he d. March 1, 1887.

## Child:

- i. Lizzie Maria Goodrich, b. May 16, 1862; d. Oct. 6, 1874.
- 246. VERNON CORBIN (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. June 23, 1833; m. Ellen Elizabeth

Gorman at Providence, R. I., Jan. 9, 1865. She was b. in Queens Co., Ireland, Jan. 9, 1840. He is mill overseer in Slater's mill at Webster, Mass.

#### Children:

- i. A son b. and d. Nov. 5, 1866.
- ii. EMMA ELIZABETH, b. May 3, 1869: blind.
- 247. Winsor Corbin (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 14, 1835, at Dudley; m., 1st, Mrs. Clarissa H. Merriam of Leicester, Mass.; she d. Nov. 26, 1891, at Dudley; m., 2d, Mrs. Nancy A. Tirrell of Thompson, Conn., Sept. 6, 1892. He was a soldier in the Civil War. They have an adopted child, Kelton Elliott Corbin, b. Aug. 11, 1889, at Weymouth, Mass. Live on Corbin place at Dudley, where James Corbin settled.
- 248. Carleton Otis Corbin (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 26, 1840; m. Catherine Maria Gorman at Webster Jan. 16, 1868. She was b. May 31, 1844, in Queens Co., Ireland. He resides at Oxford, Mass., where he is a farmer. No children.
- 249. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON CORBIN (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Sept. 25, 1841, at Dudley; m. Elvira Maria Lyon, dau. of Lorenzo and Mary Lyon, and a niece of Gen. Lyon, Nov. 28, 1863, at Ashford, Conn. She was b. May 4, 1837, at Eastford, Conn. He was in early life a mechanic, but for the past twenty years has been a farmer; residence, Phoenixville, Conn.

- i. HENRIETTA ISABELL, b. Aug. 4, 1865, at Webster, Mass.; m. James Lyon of Eastford, April 12, 1883. Three children:
  - 1. HENRIETTA LYON, b. Nov. 11, 1884; d. in infancy.
  - . 2. ALICE EMMA LYON, b. Feb. 12, 1886.
- 3. WILLIAM ELMER LYON, b. Sept. 5, 1889. ii. CHARLES HENRY, b. Feb. 19, 1879, at Fall River, Mass.; is now employed in artesian well digging.
- 250. HORACE CORBIN (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Dec. 18, 1843; m., 1st, Sarah Jane

King, dau. of David and Martha King, May 9, 1869, at Dudley. She was b. in Dec., 1847, at Thompson, and d. Jan. 2, 1870. He m., 2d, Elizabeth Λ. Daggett, dau. of Sullivan and Ruth Daggett, Aug. 1, 1871, at Webster, She was b. Dec. 27, 1848, at W. Gloucester, R. I. Resides in Pawtucket, R. I., 14 Oak Street.

# Child:

- i. EDWARD EVERETT, b. Sept. 10, 1873, at W. Gloucester, R. I.; m. Ada Carter, 1898.
- 251. J. Galusha Corbin (Stephen, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 27, 1815, at Wardsboro, Vt.; m. Maria Palmer in 1843 at Cooper's Plains, N. Y.; she was b. Aug. 11, 1825, and d. Jan. 25, 1904, at Lansing, Mich. He was a farmer and d. at Greenville, Mich., Nov. 14, 1872. The children were b. at Campbell, N. Y.

#### Children:

i. E. MARK, b. Feb. 7, 1845; was a railroad conductor and d. at Minneapolis.

ii. E. FLORENCE, b. April 20, 1848; res. Monterey, N. Y.

iii. S. Grace, b. Jan. 4, 1851; m. Fred Reilay, Sept. 12, 1871, at Lansing, Mich.; res. Lansing.

iv. M. Hortense, b. Aug. 26, 1852; d. unm., June 25, 1885, at Lansing.

252. Mary Corbin (Stephen, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Sept. 10, 1817, at Wardsboro, Vt.; m. Alanson White (a descendant of Peregrine White of the Mayflower) about 1840. They resided at Townshend, Vt., where they were esteemed citizens. She d. Sept. 11, 1888.

- i. ALBERT S. WHITE, b. May 10, 1840; m. Abbie A. Chase, Sept. 20, 1865, at Brattleboro; he d. March 23, 1887. She lives at Brattleboro.
- ii. AMANDA M. WHITE, b. March 26, 1843; m. Henry Underwood of Jamaica, Vt. They lived in Townshend, Vt. She d. June 4, 1875; one son, d.
- iii. Albion P. White, b. Feb. 18, 1847; resides at Stoughton, Mass.; m. Arvilla A. Hutchins, who was b. Feb. 14, 1845.
- iv. Addison C. White, b. Feb. 12, 1850; m. Mary Ward; resides at 219 Park Ave., Worcester, Mass.
- 253. John Watson Corbin (Stephen, Stephen,

Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1820; m., 1st, Mary Adams, who d. at Barre, Mass., 1851; he m., 2d, Fidelia Kidder (granddau. of Samuel Kidder and Sarah Corbin) March 4, 1852. She was b. Jan. 18, 1828, at Wardsboro, Vt. He d. Aug. 20, 1873. She lives at Everett, Mass.

## Child of 1st wife:

i. Mary S., b. June 28, 1851; m. Charles Pierce of Worcester; d. Sept. 25, 1903, at Worcester.

## Children of 2d wife:

ii. EMMA W., b. April 19, 1855; m. Wilmot Howe of Boston, April 15, 1874; she d. May 1, 1881.

iii. John E., b. June 6, 1857; m. Mary Blakelidge. July 31, 1883; 4 dau.; res. Everett, Mass. He is employed in the Boston P. O.

254. EMILY S. CORBIN (Stephen, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 8, 1825, in Painted Post, N. Y.; m. Moses Smith Nov. 13, 1849; he was the son of Gardner and Annie (Kenney) Smith and was b. Jan. 1, 1877. He resides at Wardsboro, Vt. She d. May 18, 1901.

# Children:

i. HERBERT A. SMITH, b. Oct. 4, 1851, in Winchendon, Mass.; m. Jennie Knapp, Sept. 10, 1871; dau. Hattie E., b. July 23, 1878; son Leon Tracy, b. Jan. 2, 1881; d. April 3, 1899. They reside at Springfield, Mass.

ii. Ada E. Smith, b. Feb. 23, 1857, in Hinsdale, N. H.;

d. Aug. 29, 1874.

- iii. Annie S. Smith, b. March 27, 1860, in Hinsdale; m. Charles H. Newcomb, Nov. 27, 1884; he was b. in Brattleboro, Vt., Aug. 21, 1857, the son of Samuel R. and Mary Jane (Thomas) Newcomb; he was a machinist; they resided at Hinsdale, N. H., until 1901, when they removed to Wardsboro, Vt., where he d., May 21, 1903. She resides at Wardsboro. Child:
  - 1. CHARLES STANLEY NEWCOMB, b. June 24, 1887.
- iv. Walter C. Smith, b. Dec. 31, 1864, in Wardsboro; m. Emma Bissell, dau. of George and Lucretia (Knowlton) Bissell, March 25, 1888; they reside at Springfield, Mass. Child:

1. IRENE CLARA SMITH, b. March 11, 1896.
v. MARY L. SMITH, b. March 15, 1867; m. William W. Kidder of Wardsboro, Sept. 19, 1888; he was the son of Henry M. and Mariette (Higley) Kidder, and was b. June 13, 1865. He is a hardware dealer at Wardsboro. Children:

- 1. WALTER W. KIDDER, b. Dec. 25, 1889.
- 2. PERLEY W. KIDDER, b. Nov. 17, 1891.
- 3. Addison R. Kidder, b. Aug. 24, 1893.
- 4. EDITH M. KIDDER, b. July 15, 1895.

255. Lucy Corbin (Stephen, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 29, 1827; m. George Franklin Goodale March 28, 1850, at N. Wardsboro, Vt. He was a soldier in the 9th and 16th Vt. Regiments, 1861-5. She d. Jan. 20, 1872. He d. Jan. 20, 1874.

# Child:

- i. George Cameron Goodale, b. Aug. 31, 1853, at Clinton, Mass.; m. Mary Ella French., dau. of John Clark and Louisa (Chamberlain) French, June 20, 1877, at Wardsboro, Vt.; she was b. Jan. 20, 1858. They lived first at Clinton, Mass., and, after 1878, at Gardner, Mass., where he is in the employ of P. Derby & Co., chairmakers.
- 256. Gilbert Eli Corbin (Hollis, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. March 4, 1831, at Campbell, Steuben Co., N. Y.; m. Abbie B. Fuller, dau. of James and Mary (Page) Fuller, June 15, 1863, at Vevay, Ingham Co., Mich. She was b. May 16, 1843, at Elba, Genesee Co., N. Y. He graduated from Michigan University with the degree of M.D. in 1855 and D.D.S. in 1887; was a member of the State Board of Examiners in Dentistry for Michigan from 1888 to 1895. He has been for many years a dentist at St. Johns, Mich., where he now resides. He is deeply interested in the Corbin Genealogy and has rendered much assistance to the compiler.

- i. ARTHUR, b. July 13, 1869; grad. from Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.; is a dentist at St. Johns, Mich.
- ii. Hollis, b. Dec. 13, 1872; he is in the advertising business at Philadelphia.
- 257. Judson Stephen Corbin (Hollis, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Nov. 24, 1833, at Campbell, N. Y.; m., 1st, Arthetta Frain of Ypsilanti, Mich., April 26, 1863, at Kalamazoo; she was b. at Ypsilanti Feb. 15, 1843, and d. May 10, 1869, at Clinton, Iowa. He m., 2d, Dora Paddock of Salem, Wis., about 1880. She was

DR. GILBERT E. CORBIN, St. Johns, Mich . 1890.

MRS. GILBERT E. CORBIN, St. Johns, Mich. 1890. er spekt or a

divorced April 2, 1902. He resides at 478 E. 63d St., Chicago, and is engaged in the real estate business.

# Children:

iii.

i. CARRIE T., b. May 11, 1864, at Ann Arbor, Mich.; d.

Feb. 11, 1865, at Sycamore, Ill.

ii. WILL Frain, b. April 10, 1867, at Clinton, Iowa; m. Katherine E. Hamilton, April 27, 1898. She was b. Dec. 28, 1872, at Shreveport, La. He is a real estate dealer, residing at 1200 W. 39th St., Kansas City, Mo. Children:

1. WILL HAMILTON, b. March 4, 1899.

2. Judson Stephen, b. Nov. 6, 1902. 3. EMILY KATHERINE, b. May 21, 1904.

Byron J., b. Jan. 26, 1881; m. Eugenia I. Allzeyer, Oct. 15, 1900, at Chicago, Ill. He is a dentist (graduate of the Chicago Dental College), and resides at 478 E. 63d St., Chicago.

iv. Frances M., b. Aug. 10, 1888; a student residing

at 670 E. Morrison St., Portland, Ore.

LUCY LAURAETTE CORBIN (Hollis, Stephen, Elisha, James, Clement), b. May 14, 1836, at Campbell, N. Y.; m. Dr. Charles W. Meyers in 1863 at Ann Arbor, Mich. He was b. in Ohio in 1837; was a physician at Clinton, Iowa, where he d. in 1898. She d. Oct. 13, 1902.

# Children:

- MINNIE MEYERS, b. Aug. 25, 1866, at St. Johns, Mich.; m. J. Lee Austin, July 17, 1889, at Clinton, Iowa; res. 651 E. Salmon St., Portland, Ore. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES LEE AUSTIN, b. April 30, 1890, at Clinton. la.
  - 2. MYRA AUSTIN, b. May 26, 1892, at Clinton, Ιa.
- MARY MEYERS, b. Dec. 3, 1868, at Chesaning. Mich.; ii. m. George H. Ballum, Aug. 7, 1895, at Clinton, Iowa; res. Portland, Ore. Child:

1. ALICE M. BALLMAN, b. July 26, 1897, at Clinton, Ia.

- iii. Frank Meyers, b. June 1, 1874, at Clinton, Iowa; m. Anna Knudson, June 5, 1903, at Albert Lea, Minn. He is a plumber at Portland, Ore. Child: 1. CHARLES W. MEYERS, b. April 21, 1904.
- Arian Corbin (Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Nov. 3, 1805; m. Rev. Amos D. Hollister, a Presbyterian clergyman of Otsego, N. Y., Nov. 14, 1841;

they afterwards resided in Washington, D. C., where he d. Oct. 20, 1865; she d. March 19, 1873, at Jersey City.

# Children:

i. MARTHA A. HOLLISTER, b. March 9, 1843; d. unm., Nov., 1891, at Oxford, N. Y.

ii. MARY D. HOLLISTER, b. Sept. 24, 1845; m. John R. Arrison, Aug. 8, 1865. Children:

1. Anna Arrison, b. June 27, 1866; m. Samuel

S. Hale, June, 1898; res. Syracuse.

2. MAY AMANDA ARRISON, b. May 15, 1871; m. James S. Parsons, June 1, 1904; res. Earlville, N. Y.

3. JANE LILLIAN ARRISON, b. Aug. 20, 1874; m. George H. Price, Jan., 1898; she d. Aug., 1890. One ch.: John Price.

260. Horace Corbin' (Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Dec. 19, 1806; m. Jemima Baldwin Nov. 10, 1831 (or Nov. 3, 1832), at McDonough, N. Y.; she was b. July 19, 1807, and d. May 14, 1886. He d. July 3, 1882, at Oxford, N. Y.

# Children:

- i. Frances Amelia, b. Sept. 17, 1833; d. March 11, 1836.
- 440. ii. Eliakim Lyon, b. Sept. 10, 1835.
- 441. iii. ABEL RATHRONE, b. April 10, 1838.
- 442. iv. Don Delos, b. March 3, 1840.
- 443. v. Alfred William, b. Oct. 31, 1843.
  - vi. Mary Louisa, b. Jan. 17, 1850; m. Patrick H. Landergin, Nov. 25, 1886; res. Kansas. Children:
    1. ALICE CORBIN LANDERGIN, b. Dec. 16, 1889.
    - 2. HARRIET ANNA LANDERGIN, b. June 27, 1891.
- 261. ABEL RATHBONE CORBIN (Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. May 24, 1808; m., 1st, Elizabeth McAllister at St. Louis June 11, 1835; one child, d. in infancy; Elizabeth d. in 1867 in N. Y.; m., 2d, Virginia Paine Grant, dau. of Jesse R. and Hannah (Simpson) Grant and sister of General U. S. Grant, May 12, 1869, at Covington, Ky.; she was b. Feb. 20, 1832, at Georgetown, Ohio; she is still living (1904) at 70 Lennox Ave., East Orange, N. J.

He was editor of the Missouri Argus in St. Louis in the 30's and 40's and active in political affairs; afterwards for many years he was clerk of committee on claims in the House of Representatives at Washington. In 1863 he



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moved to New York. He d. March 28, 1880, at Jersey City. One dau., Virginia, b. 1870, d. at age of about one month.

262. LAVINIA CORBIN (Eliakim L., Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. July 7, 1810; m. Judge Oliver Hamlin of Honesdale, Pa., Sept. 11, 1837. She d. May 9, 1849. He d. Dec. 26, 1855.

#### Children:

i. HELEN LAVINIA HAMLIN, m. Charles Jewell, at Washington; res. Toledo, Ohio.

ii. HARRIS CORBIN HAMLIN, b. ——; m. Fanny Seymour; he was in one of the departments at Washington, where he d., 1901.

263. Eli Lyon Corbin (Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Feb. 7, 1812, at Exeter, N. Y.; m. Abigail Brainerd Taintor of Colchester, Conn., June 5, 1843; she was the dau. of Capt. Newhall Taintor and descended from Charles Taintor, who was in Conn. before 1643; the Taintors lived in Branford and Windsor, and after 1700 in Colchester, Conn. Eli Corbin and family lived at McDonough, N. Y., where the children were born. In later life they went to Oxford, N. Y., where he d. Oct. 29, 1896, and she d. Feb. 19, 1894, æ. 73. In their memory the Oxford Public Library (shown in the illustration) was founded by their children, as indicated by a bronze tablet within, bearing the following inscription:

"OXFORD MEMORIAL LIBRARY.
This House with its Grounds is Dedicated for
A FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY,
As a Memorial to ELI LYON CORBIN and
ABIGAIL TAINTOR CORBIN, his Wife,
By their Children.

Established Anno Domini 1900, being the 106th year of the founding of Oxford Academy and the Town."

- i. ELIZABETH SOPHIA, b. April 20, 1844; d. Sept. 11, 1852.
- 444. ii. CHARLES LYON, b. Jan. 22, 1846.
- 445. iii. Frank Taintor, b. Sept. 20, 1849.
- 446. iv. WILLIAM HORACE, b. July 12, 1851.
- 447. v. LILLIAN ABBY, b. Oct. 16, 1854.
  - vi. ABEL RATHBONE, b. July 13, 1858; d. Aug. 21, 1876.

264. Polly Corbin (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 27, 1782, at Oxford; m. Caleb Brown. She d. at Pascoag, R. I., May, 1814.

## Children:

STEPHEN Brown, b. ——; was probably m. RACHEL Brown, b. ——; m. 1st, Ashael Albee; ii. 2d, Sanford Morris.

—; enlisted in the U.S. reguiii. Jesse Brown, b. lar army in 1826.

Lucy Corbin (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. April 18, 1785; m. Stephen Moon at Oxford Gore, 1800. He was b. in Windham, Conn.; a carpenter; d. at Monson, Mass., June 26, 1871; she d. there Dec. 14, 1849.

#### Children:

PALAMAN Moon, b. June 17, 1802, at Oxford Gore; a shoemaker; m. 1st, Bathsheba Stebbins, April 28, 1833; m. 2d, Ruth C. Janes (b. Jan. 21, 1812), Nov. 29, 1845, at Brimfield, Mass.; he d. at Brimfield, May 16, 1883. Children:

> 1. Francis Dwight Moon, b. Feb. 27, 1846. 2. EUGENE WITT MOON, b. April 15, 1851; d.

April 30, 1858.

ABIGAIL Moon, b. Aug. 14, 1804; m. in Oakham, ii. Mass., Justice Weld, and had George, Samuel, and William Weld.

Betsey Moon, b. Nov. 12, 1806; m. Jeremiah Morse iii. in Charlton, and had a dau., Harriet; she m. 2d, Dwight Elliot, in Leicester, Mass., and had seven children.

Daniel Moon, b. Sept. 22, 1808; m. Betsey Dickey, iv. in 1831, in Sturbridge; she was b. in Merrimack, Mass., in 1809, and d. in Sutton June 23, 1874. He was a laborer; d. in Southbridge, Mass., March 23, 1857. Ten children, including:

3. James Moon, b. Sept. 18, 1835, in Charlton;

m. Maria Gray.

4. Darius Moon, b. March 9, 1838, in Charlton;

m. Eliza Hinks, in Sturbridge, 1861.

5. MARY E. MOON, b. Nov. 6, 1840, in Woodstock; m. Jacob Barton, in Brimfield, 1860; four children.

6. ABIGAIL MOON, b. Jan. 25, 1843, in Brimfield; m. Lafayette Sanger (b. in Woodstock, Oct. 12,

1832); seven children.

STEPHEN Moon, b. May 22, 1811; surname changed v. by law to Brooks; m. Eunice Needham, in Spencer, Mass.; their youngest child was Adaline Brooks, b. Sept. 12, 1838, in Charlton; m. George Preston, 1852, in Sturbridge; m. 2d, Elbridge Chapman, 1856, in Peoria, Ill.; m. 3d, Berthear Flagg, in Brookfield, Mass., 1864; four children.

- vi. Benjamin Moon, b. Sept. 29, 1813, in Thompson; surname changed by law to Brooks; m. Charlotte Burt Emerson, Dec. 17, 1834, in Charlton; he d. Oct. 30, 1888, in Greenwich, Mass.; five children.
- vii. Sanford Moon, b. March 17, 1815, in Dudley; a shoemaker; m. Sarah Ann Whittemore, in 1835; d. Sept. 2, 1860, in Peoria, Ill.
- viii. Solomon Moon, b. Nov. 6, 1818, in Palmer, Mass.; m. Lucretia Sweet, and removed to Pa. Son, Herbert Moon.
- ix. HARRIET L. Moon, b. Jan. 1, 1821, in Palmer; m. Abner Shaw, Aug. 31, 1842, in Union, Conn. Children:
  - 1. GEORGE MARSHALL SHAW, b. Oct. 20, 1843, in Brimfield; m. Elizabeth N. Ward, March 4, 1865, at Palmer, Mass. She was b. in Philipston, Mass.. April 10, 1841; five children.
  - 2. EMILY SHAW, b. Oct. 18, 1848; m. Henry D. Rogers (b. at Brookfield, Dec. 25, 1843), at Brookfield, March 17, 1868; she d. Oct. 27, 1882.
  - 3. Lewis W. Shaw, b. July 28, 1850; d. Aug. 4, 1877.
- x. Lucy Ann Moon, b. April 27, 1823, in Charlton; m. John Barton, Sept. 28, 1837; five children.
- xi. DWIGHT E. MOON, b. April 10, 1825, in Southbridge; m. Sarah Colgrove. Children:
  - 1. MARIETTA Moon, b. Aug. 8, 1859, in Palmer; m. Joseph H. Mumford, Dec. 27, 1880; he b. in Monson, April 25, 1857; two children.
    - 2. ELLEN Moon, b. July 24, 1862, in Monson,
- 266. SARAH CORBIN (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 17, 1787; m. Daniel Whittemore Oct. 17, 1813, at Oxford Gore, Mass. He was the son of Caleb and Eunice Whittemore, and was b. March 24, 1791, in Thompson, Conn. He was a cabinet-maker, and settled in Peoria, Ill., but d. in Woodstock, Conn., Sept. 3, 1870; he was a soldier in the war of 1812. She d. March 10, 1857, at Putnam, Conn.

# Children b. in Thompson:

- i. SARAH ANN WHITTEMORE, b. April 3, 1814; m. Sanford Moon above; d. in Peoria, Ill., April 27, 1877.
- ii. DANIEL WHITTEMORE, b. Oct. 5, 1815; m. Betsey Mogan, 1842, at Southbridge, Mass.; three children; a farmer.
- iii. CALEB WHITTEMORE, b. Aug. 24, 1817; m. Maria Russell, April 7, 1841, in Peoria, Ill.; 4 ch.
- iv. Nelson Whittemore, b. Oct. 4, 1819; m. Henrietta Curtis, 1845, in Gloucester, R. I.; 3 ch.; d. Dec. 13, 1872, at East Killingly, Conn.

v. EUNICE WHITTEMORE. b. June 17, 1821; m. George Shippee, 1841, in Thompson; 9 ch.

vi. MARY ANN WHITTEMORE, b. March 25, 1823; m. Wheaton V. Shippee, Sept. 6, 1839, in Thompson; 5 ch.

- vii. BENJAMIN F. WHITTEMORE, b. Aug. 4, 1825; a mechanic and member of Co. E. 58th Mass. Regt., in Civil War; m. Harriet Handy, July 20, 1845, in Thompson; 4 ch.
- viii. George D. Whittemore, b. Dec. 7, 1828; m. in Thompson, Almira C. Gray, March 2, 1851; 3 ch.
- ix. SIMON B. WHITTEMORE, b. Dec. 7, 1831; lost his eyesight totally in 1850; m. Margaret Dewey, Sept. 4, 1867, in Putnam; 7 ch.; farmer.
- 267. Anna Corbin (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 9, 1790; m. John Emerson, 2d, Dec. 29, 1814; he was b. Aug. 6, 1786, in Thompson; d. Oct. 9, 1868; she d. April 6, 1826, at Oxford Gore.

#### Children b. at Oxford Gore:

- i. CHARLOTTE EMERSON, b. Oct. 2, 1815; m. Benjamin (Moon) Brooks above. Children:
  - 1. ANN MARIA BROOKS, b. June 26, 1836, at Charlton; m. Walter Deming, Aug. 19, 1852, at Monson. He was b. May 19, 1832. Their eldest child, Lindsey Andrew Deming, b. June 7, 1854, m. Helen E. Bradley, Sept. 1, 1875. Has 8 ch.

2. MARTHA JANE BROOKS, b. May 17, 1838, in Spencer; m. 1st, Miner King; m. 2d, William H. Fewell, April 15, 1876, of London, Eng.; 2 ch. of King and 2 of Fewell.

- 3. ABEL SHAW BROOKS, b. April 6, 1841, in Brimfield; fell in battle of Irish Bend, April 14, 1863.
- 4. BURT VERNON BROOKS, b. Maý 22, 1849, in Brimfield.
- 5. ORSON FRANCIS BROOKS, b. Nov. 8, 1851, in Monson.
- ii. DAVID EMERSON, b. Aug. 3, 1816; m. Adaline Andrews, Oct. 13, 1844, in Thompson; d. in Lake Eunice. Minn., Aug. 25, 1884. Children:

1. Eva Emerson, b. Sept. 5, 1854, in Thompson; m. Charles Tanner of Thompson.

2. MARY E. EMÉRSON, b. March 9, 1864, at Smithfield, R. I.; m. Myla Converse.

- iii. Levi Wight Emerson, b. July 27, 1821; a brickmaker and soldier in Civil War; m. Ruth Ann Needham, Feb. 8, 1843, at Brimfield. No ch.
- iv. Sarah Emerson, b. April 4, 1824; m. William L. Brown, May 22, 1842, in Webster; he was b. in Dudley, Aug. 4, 1824. Res. Oxford, Mass. Children:
  - 1. HARRIET M. BROWN, b. Dec. 9, 1843; m. Olcott Edgerton, March 15, 1860. One child, Charles.

- 2. HENRY W. BROWN, b. March 23, 1846, in Pascoag, R. I.; d. Nov. 3, 1865.
- 3. STEPHEN S. Brown, b. Nov. 25, 1847, in Webster.
- 268. Jabez Corbin (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 28, 1794; m. Miriam McIntyre July 7, 1818, at Charlton; she was b. 1792 in Charlton and d. in Webster May 9, 1847; he d. in Webster, Mass., Oct. 3, 1846; was a farmer.

## Children:

- i. EUNICE, b. Jan. 1, 1820, at Webster; m. Rufus Scott, Nov. 19, 1837, at Oxford Gore. Children:
  - 1. Julia Elizabeth Scott, b. Sept. 28, 1838, in Oxford, Mass.
  - 2. Julius Augustus Scott, b. Dec. 10, 1843, in Oxford; m. Amanda Carpenter, Nov. 21, 1865, in New York.
- ii. ROBERT, b. Jan. 12, 1822, at Charlton; d. Nov. 12, 1847, at Worcester, Mass., as the result of an accident on the Providence & Worcester R. R.
- 448. iii. WALTER, b. April 16, 1825, at Charlton.
- 449. iv. Rufus, b. Sept. 20, 1833, at Webster.
- 269. ESTHER CORBIN (Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1796; m. Asa Handy July 12, 1818; he was b. Nov. 26, 1795, in Smithfield, Mass., son of William and Thankful Handy. Asa was a mason and d. in Thompson April 5, 1853. She d. in Thompson Oct. 9, 1842.

- i. Amos Handy, b. Jan. 19, 1819, in Thompson; m. Eliza Reed, May 19, 1840, in Thompson; he was a mason; 8 ch.; d. in Woodstock, March 9, 1888.
- ii. John Handy, b. Feb. 21, 1821; m. Catherine Button, in Woodstock, March 30, 1859; no ch.; a farmer.
- iii. George Handy, b. Aug. 7, 1824, in Thompson; a real estate agent; m. Susan Burdick, in Thompson, May 12, 1844; m. 2d, Abbie Treble, and had six ch. by each marriage.
- iv. HARRIET HANDY, b. Sept. 15, 1826, in Thompson; m. Benjamin F. Whittemore, July 20, 1845.
- v. Louisa Handy, b. April 10, 1829, in Thompson; m. Ezra T. Holmes, Jan. 22, 1854, in Plymouth, Mass.; 5 ch.
- vi. EBENEZER HANDY, b. Nov. 26, 1831, in Burrillville, R. I.; m. Ann M. Lovell, May 13, 1853, in Grafton, Mass.; no ch.; a merchant.

vii. Nelson Handy, b. Oct. 5, 1834, in Burrillville; m. Delighta Wilcox, Nov. 30, 1855, in Fiskville, R. I. No ch.

270. PLINY MOORE CORBIN (Royal, John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 8, 1801; m. Fannie Follett Griswold, dau. of Hon. William A. and Mary (Follett) Griswold of Burlington, Aug. 26, 1824. She d. of consumption Oct. 24, 1845. He m., 2d, Ethelinda Jane Blatchford, dau. of Rev. Dr. Samuel and Alicea (Windeatt) Blatchford of Lansingburgh, N. Y., May 14, 1847; she was b. Nov. 23, 1805, and d. Sept. 13, 1879.

Pliny M. Corbin graduated at the University of Vermont in 1822. He was teller in the bank of Burlington from 1828 to 1830, and of the Branch Bank of the U. S. there from 1830 to 1834; cashier of the Farmers' Bank of Orwell from 1834 to 1840; of the Bank of Lansingburgh from 1840 to 1851, and of the Union Bank of Troy, N. Y., from 1851 for several years. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church. He d. at Troy, N. Y., Nov. 29, 1874.

# Children:

450. i. MARY MARIA, b. Dec. 14, 1826.

ii. WILLIAM GRISWOLD, b. Oct. 4, 1828; d. Feb. 11, 1831.

iii. LAURA MATILDA, b. May 29, 1832; was educated at Mt. Holyoke by Mary Lyon; d. at Lansingburgh, N. Y., May 23, 1849, of consumption.

iv. ROYAL ALBERT, b. Dec. 11, 1836; d. Dec. 7, 1854, of

consumption.

v. CATHERINE AUGUSTA, b. Jan. 20, 1841; d. April 10, 1870.

- vi. ALICEA BLATCHFORD, b. Sept. 27, 1848; m. Edward Judson, April 26, 1876; lives at Bostonia, Cal. Children:
  - 1. ETHELINDA BLATCHFORD JUDSON, b. Feb. 16, 1877.
    - 2. HELEN JUDSON, ) b. Feb. 5, 1879; Ruth, d.

3. RUTH JUDSON, \( \) Aug., 1879.

- 4. ALEXANDER CORBIN JUDSON, b. Dec. 21, 1883.
- 5. MARJORIE MASON JUDSON, b. June 21, 1885.

271. WILLIAM CRAFTS CORBIN (Royal, John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 15, 1803; a farmer at Craftsbury; removed to Maumee, Mich., in 1830; m. Mary Strong, dau. of Asahel and Susan (Follett) Strong of Bennington, Dec. 31, 1826. She was b. March 12, 1807.

He d. Aug. 16, 1831. She m., 2d, Sewall Kenney of Burlington Jan. 18, 1837, and had two children; she d. Sept. 20, 1843, at Ottumwa, Iowa.

# Child:

- i. Susan F., b. March 28, 1828; m. —— Barton, 1848. Res. Starr, Vernon Co., Wis. Four children:
  - 1. MARY FRANCELLA BARTON, b. Sept. 14, 1849.
  - 2. Frederick Albert Barton, b. June 11, 1852.
  - 3. LAURA MATILDA BARTON, b. May 9, 1854.
  - 4. JENNY CORBIN BARTON, b. 1864.
- 272. LAURA MATILDA CORBIN (Royal, John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 1, 1807; m. Dr. Daniel Dustan in 1824; lived at Craftsbury, Vt. She d. Aug. 21, 1850.

- i. Martha Mathda Dustan, b. July 10, 1825; m. Dr. Henry Huntington, Oct. 5, 1847. He was b. June 3, 1818, at Greensboro, Vt.; son of Henry and Elizabeth (Parmelee) Huntington; grad. at Albany Med. College in 1846; practiced medicine for five years, and, after 1851, became a dentist at Albany, Ga., but during the war left the South and went to Des Moines, Iowa. Four children.
- ii. Frederick Crafts Dustan, b. April 21, 1827; d. March 18, 1828.
- iii. Frederick William Dustan, b. Jan. 11, 1829; m. Helen E. Burnham, 1851; farmer at Bristol, Wis. Six ch.: Laura Eliza, m. Byron Holcomb; res. St. Paul, Minn.; 5 ch. Royal Corbin Dustan, Salt Lake City. Fannie B., m. ——— Hauer. Frederick Wm. Dustan, Helena, Mont. Two d. young.
- iv. Catherine Louisa Dustan, b. Feb. 17, 1831; d. voung.
- v. DANIEL DUSTAN, b. June 21, 1833; d. young.
- vi. LAURA CORBIN DUSTAN, b. April 21, 1837; m. W. P. Wilkinson of Freeport, Pa.
- vii. Daniel Dustan, b. Sept. 3, 1839; d. in the army, April, 1862.
- viii. Mary Hill Dustan, b. Aug. 27, 1843; m. Augustus
  Paddock of Craftsbury, March 13, 1866.
- ix. CHARLES W. DUSTAN, b. May 14, 1847; m. Harriet Lyon, Dec. 19, 1874; a physician. Son, William, b. Nov. 6, 1875. Add. N. Craftsbury, Vt.
- 273. ELIZA CORBIN (John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. May 9, 1807, in S. Williamstown, Mass.; m. Noah Ely Austin Jan. 28, 1829. He was b. in Hancock, Mass., March 28, 1803. They removed to Chenango Co., N. Y., in 1836, crossing the Hudson on the ice and settling

on Lot 24 in the wilderness. She d. Nov. 7, 1880, and he d. July 24, 1886.

## Children:

i. Luman Austin, b. Feb. 21, 1830; m. Mary Jane Conde, Sept. 19, 1858, in Ill. Children:

1. BERTIE L. AUSTIN, b. April 19, 1860; d. June

27, 1863.

2. ADDIE MAY AUSTIN, b. Jan. 8, 1865; m. Harvey Hill, Dec. 16, 1885; no ch.

3. FRANK, b. Dec. 25, 1872.

ii. LAURA CAROLINE, b. April 9, 1832; m. Rhodolphus Butts, June 6, 1854; d. Aug., 1883. Children:

1. ELLA MAY, b. June 10, 1857; m. W. B. Matterson, Dec. 4, 1884. Ch.: Laura Lucile, d. at age of twelve weeks, and Warren Butts Matterson, b. March 1, 1890. Ella May Matterson d. Feb. 12, 1897. He is a lawyer at Norwich, N. Y.; has m. again.

2. WILL AUSTIN BUTTS, b. Sept. 2, 1863; m. Addie Miller, Dec. 4, 1888; d. Aug. 19, 1901.

iii. Augusta Minerva, b. Dec. 29, 1835; unm.; resides with niece, Mrs. Henry Sage.

iv. WILLIAM C., b. Aug. 17, 1838; m. Charlotte Bassett, in 1876; live on the old homestead at New Berlin, N. Y. Child:

1. GRACIA BELLE, b. June 30, 1877; m. Jared Sprague, 1896; ch., Mary Elizabeth, b. Jan. 24, 1897. Res. Syracuse, N. Y.

v. John Bruce, b. June 5, 1840; d. Nov. 14, 1846.

vi. Daniel Webster, b. Oct. 2, 1842; m. Sarah Esther Conde (sister of Luman's wife), July 4, 1865. She d. Jan. 21, 1903. Children:

1. Infant, who died.

2. LIZZIE BELLE, b. June 5, 1869; m. Henry N. Sage, Dec. 9, 1891. Res. South New Berlin, N. Y.

3. FLORENCE ESTELLE, b. Oct. 14, 1872; m. Frank L. Wooster, Dec. 27, 1899. Res. Binghamton, N. Y.

4. MILDRED ELY, b. Aug. 26, 1890.

- vii. ELIZABETH CORNELIA, b. Oct. 9, 1848; m. Homer B. Johnson, 1872; d. June 8, 1899.
- 274. Henry Jay Corbin (John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 7, 1812, at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Sarah A. Jenks Nov. 5, 1857; she was the dau. of Thomas Jenks and was b. at Hancock, Mass., Feb. 5, 1812. She d. May 13, 1841, at New Berlin, N. Y. He m., 2d, Lydia Naramore March 20, 1842; she was the dau. of Elias and Elizabeth Naramore, and was b. Jan. 19, 1809; d. June 2, 1878, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y. He d. July 25, 1871, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

# Children:

451. i. CORDELIA E., b. Aug. 18, 1838.

- ii. ADALIZA, b. Jan. 25, 1841; m. Charles S. Smith of Northville, N. Y., at New Berlin, N. Y. Res. 80 Prospect St., E. Orange, N. J.
- 275. Frank Corbin (John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. May 31, 1819, at S. Williamstown, Mass.; m. Ada Lapham at Marsh Hall, N. Y.; d. May 5, 1902.

# Children:

- i. CHARLES, b. 1852; m. and left one son, Glen, when he d., in 1900.
- ii. FRED, b. 1858; d. 1899. Ch.: Frank, Lillian, George.
- iii. EDWIN, b. 1860. Ch.: Inez, John, Roy, Paul, Eva, and Grace.
- iv. Belle, b. 1863; d. 1893.
- v. JAY, b. 1871; d. 1892.
- 276. Betsey Corbin (John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 16, 1821; m. Christopher Boyce in New Berlin, N. Y., where they lived. She d. April 3, 1900; he d. July 21, 1876.

- i. Frank C. Boyce, b. May 9, 1842; m. Mary E. Mortimer, Oct. 22, 1867. She was b. April 17, 1844, at Cincinnatus, N. Y. He is a farmer at S. New Berlin, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES A. BOYCE, b. Feb. 4, 1870; m. Grace M. Benedict, Dec. 21, 1898.
  - 2. LESLIE J. BOYCE, b. Oct. 12, 1871.
- ii. HELEN JANE, d. young.
- iii. LINN L. BOYCE. Res. Albany, N. Y.
- iv. Susie Isabel Boyce, b. Nov. 23, 1854; m. Joseph Tracy Amsden, May 19, 1875. He was the son of David and Nancy (Brooks) Amsden, and was b. June 13, 1853. Res. New Berlin, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. WINNIE MAY AMSDEN, b. Feb. 13, 1876; d. Jan. 31, 1893.
    - 2. FANNIE JEAN AMSDEN, b. July 9, 1877.
    - JAY BOYCE AMSDEN, b. Nov. 29, 1878.
       GERTRUDE LOUISE AMSDEN, b. Feb. 21, 1882.
    - 5. GRACE ELIZABETH AMSDEN, b. Oct. 27, 1885.
  - 6. HELEN MARGUERITE AMSDEN, b. July 19, 1895.
- v. WILLIAM H. BOYCE, b. July 15, 1860; m. Mary B. Briggs, Aug. 11, 1880. He is a farmer at New Berlin, N. Y., where he has been a Justice of the Peace for seventeen years. Children:
  - 1. GLENN A. BOYCE, b. Aug. 20, 1881; a stenographer at 15 John St., New York.

- 2. BERTHA I. BOYCE, b. Oct. 7, 1882; a musician at 920 E. 156th St., New York.
  - 3. E. RAYMOND BOYCE, b. Feb. 4, 1885.
  - 4. Christopher Boyce, b. Dec. 26, 1886.
- 277. WILLIAM HARLOW CORBIN (John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 24, 1829, at Williamstown, Mass.; m. Gertrude Isabelle Badgley Oct. 31, 1877, at Saratoga Springs. She was b. Jan. 29, 1850, at East Line, Saratoga Co., N. Y., the dau. of Boville T. and Sarah Elizabeth (Briggs) Badgley. They reside at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

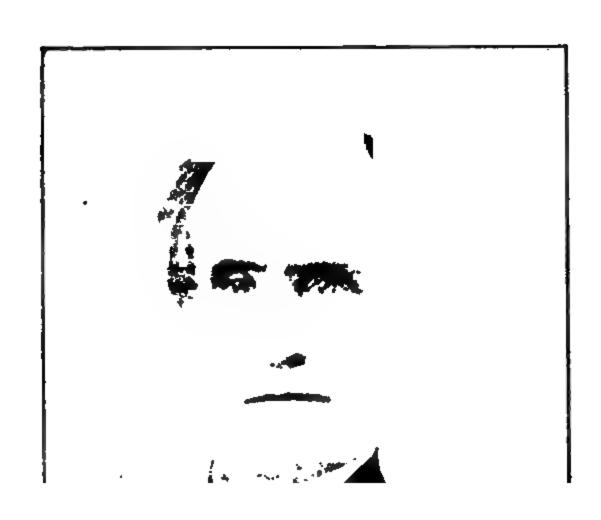
## Child:

- i. HAROLD HARLOW, b. Sept. 8, 1889.
- 278. FAYETTE H. CORBIN (William H., Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. June 28, 1832; m. Charlotte Treat, May 20, 1859. She was b. Nov. 10, 1835, and d. April 6, 1903, in Springville, N. Y. He d. Nov. 22, 1862, in Aurora, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. ESTELLE CHARLOTTE, b. July 20, 1859; m. Mortimer Leroy Hayden, Oct. 14, 1885; he was b. Feb. 2, 1859. Children:
  - 1. CLAUDE CORBIN HAYDEN, b. Nov. 8, 1886.
  - 2. GERALD LEROY HAYDEN, b. April 17, 1888.
- ii. WILLIAM FAYETTE, b. Dec. 21, 1860.
- 279. Amasa Corbin (William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 12, 1802, at Champlain, N. Y. At the age of 12 years, his father having died, he went to Hancock, Mass., to live with Joshua Foster, his step-father. He m. Phebe Maria Foster, March 2, 1828. She was the daughter of Capt. Joshua Foster, his step-father, by his former marriage with Susan Carpenter, and was b. Sept. 5, 1809.

The children of Joshua and Susan (Carpenter) Foster were Marilla Experience (m. Norton), Thomas Nelson, Phebe Maria, Joshua C., Harriet Lavinia, and Sarah Ann. Joshua Foster traces his ancestry back as follows: John<sup>5</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>4</sup>, Chillingsworth<sup>3</sup>, John<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>, who came to America in 1634. (See Foster Genealogy.) Susan Carpenter was the dau. of Thomas G. (d. 1834, æ. 76), and Experience Carpenter (d. Feb. 6, 1804, æ. 48), dau. of Daniel and Deborah Carpenter. Thomas Carpenter was the son of Joseph Carpenter (d. Aug. 29, 1796) and Sarah Greenman (b. in Newport, R. I.; d. 1820).



AMASA CORBIN.

Born at Champlain, N Y., 1802.

Died at Gouverneur, N Y., 1881.



In 1830 Amasa Corbin settled upon a large farm four miles from Gouverneur village, St. Lawrence County, N. Y., where he spent the rest of his life. The road passing his farm was, at the time of his settlement, bordered by dense woods. Wolves were plenty, and once he was compelled to protect his flock by throwing fire brands in the air throughout the night. Eight sheep were killed, however. Mr. Corbin made the first cheese in St. Lawrence County, and at one time had the largest dairy, numbering sixty cows. His first season's make of cheese was marketed in Montreal, to which point he hauled it on a sleigh, selling it at three cents a pound. Afterwards, for a number of years, he sent his produce in barrels to Boston and New York commission houses.

Amasa Corbin was a man of peculiar temperament. An ardent hater of shams, fearless in the expression of his opinions, even when, as in 1861, to speak them was tantamount to social ostracism and personal danger; a Democrat of Democrats; a believer that the sons of Ham were predestined hewers of wood, and consequently a cordial opponent of the theory of equality which for forty years enthralled the sympathies of the vast majority of the people in the northern states; honest in everything; a man of marvelous memory, and able to marshal and express his opinions forcibly; quick at repartee and, withal, genial and sociable with everybody, whether of high or lowly station.

His wife was indeed a helpmeet to him. His sometime prodigality was offset by her calculating economy; his tendency to let the burden of life rest easily upon him was balanced by her untiring industry. She was largely the builder of the competence with which both were blessed as the days of their lives came to a close.

(The above account is from the History of St. Lawrence County, by Gates Curtis, Ogdensburgh, N. Y. [1894], and was prepared essentially by J. S. Corbin.)

Amasa Corbin, Sr., d. Jan. 4, 1881. His wife d. June 28, 1885, both at Gouverneur.

- i. John William, b. May 25, 1829; d. April 4, 1830.
- ii. John William, b. Jan. 12, 1831; d. Aug. 11, 1834.
- 452. iii. HIRAM FOSTER, b. April 8, 1833; d. April 14, 1866.

- iv. HENRY MILLS, b. June 14, 1835; d. March 23, 1861.
- 453. v. Charles Moore, b. Nov. 25, 1838.
- 454. vi. JAY SPENCER, b. Dec. 31, 1840.
- 455. vii. AMASA, Jr., b. Dec. 31, 1843.

1873.

- viii. SARAH JANE, b. Aug. 12, 1848; d. Jan. 28, 1899.
- ix. Helen Maria, b. March 22, 1849; d. Sept. 23, 1849.
- 456. x. Susan Lavinia, b. June 6, 1852; m. Walter Jeffers. xi. Harriet Pelora, b. Dec. 31, 1854; d. March 21,
- 280. Delia Corbin (William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 15, 1806; m. Rev. Joseph Bradley, a Universalist clergyman. She d. about 1877 in the insane asylum at Columbus, Ohio.

#### Children:

- i. Joseph Mills Bradley was educated by the assistance of John W. Bates of Lansingburgh; he became a flour merchant at Troy, N. Y., and was successful in business. He m. ———————————, and d. about 1865, leaving a widow and four daughters. His mother lived at Newton, Ohio.
- ii. CAROLINE ELIZA BRADLEY, m. Calvin Fay; both d. Their dau. Delia m. Mr. Logan; lived at Gaines-ville, Ga. Another dau., Georgia, m. Mr. Holmes. A son, Frank Fay, lives in New York city.
- iii. Delia Bradley, d. at about the age of 14.
- iv. WILLIAM HENRY BRADLEY, m. Sara Southworth; lived at Emporia, Kansas; he d. about 1900. One dau. m. Edwin S. Bower of Lincoln; another, Carrie, is a teacher.
- v. GILBERT BRADLEY, m. Miss Freddie Drone, and d. a year or two later.
- 281. ROYAL CORBIN (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 19, 1834; m. Jeannette Evans Averill, dau. of James Averill, Sept. 7, 1874. He graduated from Middlebury College with high honors. At the beginning of the Civil War he was superintendent of schools at Plattsburg, but resigned his position to help organize a volunteer company of infantry, of which he afterwards became captain. After the war he studied law at Champlain, N. Y., and after practicing several years at that place, removed to Plattsburg, N. Y., where he now resides. He has long been recognized as one of the foremost leaders of the bar in northern New York. He is a thorough student and a scholar of the highest attainments.

#### Child:

i. John, b. Sept. 11, 1875; attended Williams College, and graduated from the Columbia Law School; he is now practicing at Plattsburg with his father.

WILLIAM G. BOSWORTH, New York City.



282. MARY TALLMADGE CORBIN (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. May 6, 1836; m. Smith M. Stetson, son of Smedley Stetson, Jan. 18, 1854, at Champlain. They lived at Chazy, N. Y., where he d. in Jan., 1884; she d. Aug. 11, 1898, at Plattsburg.

# Child:

Cal.

Plattsburg. No children.

- i. MARGARET STETSON, b. Oct. 13, 1856, at Chazy; m. Frank Buckman of Chazy. She d. at Champlain in 1890. Children:
  - 1. HENRY BUCKMAN, b. 1877; d. 1896, in Cal. 2. MARY BUCKMAN, b. 1879; m. and lives in
- 283. George Sullivan Corbin (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 6, 1838; m., 1st, Ellen M. Scott, June 13, 1865; she d. May 26, 1866. He m., 2d, Libby M. Trombly, May 27, 1869. He served as private and officer in the 118th N. Y. Regt. in the Civil War, and has since been engaged in railroad business, living at
- 284. FREEMAN NYE CORBIN (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 22, 1840; m. Sarah J. Dodds, Sept. 7, 1864; she was the dau. of William and Sarah Dodds of Champlain and was b. Jan. 3, 1845. He spent his life in Champlain and Plattsburg, and was engaged in the railroad business, part of the time as manager of the Chateaugay R. R. He was a man of great industry and sound judgment, and commanded the highest respect of all who knew him. He d. Jan. 5, 1895, at Champlain.

#### Child:

- i. Helen, b. Oct. 19, 1865; m. Walter H. Doolittle, son of Henry M. and Maria (Douglass) Doolittle of Champlain, Jan. 22, 1896; they live at Champlain, and have one child, Corbin Doolittle, b. May 19, 1899.
- 285. ELIZA CATHERINE CORBIN (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 27, 1842, at Champlain, N. Y.; m. Harvey Bosworth, Feb. 6, 1862; he was b. at Champlain, N. Y., March 28, 1837, the son of Harvey and Sophia (Nash) Bosworth. Sophia Nash was the dau. of Reuben Nash (son of Lieut. Isaac Nash, killed at the

Battle of Bennington) and Abigail (Woodward) Nash of Benson, Vt.; Harvey Bosworth, Sr., was the son of John and Hannah (Smith) Bosworth of Sandisfield, Mass. John Bosworth was a soldier in the Revolution and present at the Battle of Saratoga.

They lived at Champlain until 1879, when they removed to Plattsburg, where they resided until 1900, when they removed to Jersey City, where they now live.

# Children:

i. John Corbin Bosworth, b. June 30, 1863, at Champlain; was engaged in banking at Plattsburg,

where he d., unm., May 12, 1894.

- ii. WILLIAM GEORGE BOSWORTH, b. March 21, 1866, at Champlain; removed to Plattsburg with his parents, and graduated from the Plattsburg High School in 1883. After one year in mercantile business and two years in the office of Royal Corbin studying law, he attended Williams College, and received the degree of A.B. in 1889. He afterwards attended the Columbia Law School, and was admitted to the New York bar in December, 1892. He commenced practicing law in New York, and in 1894 became the cashier and attorney of the Corbin Banking Co. He is now president of The New England Mortgage Security Co. and of the Atlantic Brass Co., vice-president of the State Realty & Mortgage Co., treasurer of the Manhattan Beach Hotel & Land Co., and director in several other corporations. He is a member of the University, Union League, and Lawyers' Clubs of New York, and of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Association, the New England Society, and the Sons of the Revolution. He is unmarried, and lives in New York City, his business address being 192 Broadway, New York.
- iii. HARRY RANSOM BOSWORTH, b. Oct. 4, 1869, at Champlain; d. there Feb. 26, 1873.
- 286. Asa Corbin (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 24, 1793, at Woodstock; m. Lucinda Ward of Dover, Vt.

#### Children:

457. i. GILBERT, b. Nov. 17, 1829.

458. ii. MARY ANN, b. May, 1832.

287. Benjamin Corbin (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement) of Union, Conn., b. Oct. 20, 1794; m. Maria Potter, dau. of Silas Potter of Ashford, June 2, 1830. She was b. April 3, 1804.

MARIA P. (Mrs. BENJAMIN) CORBIN.

Union, Coan.



BENJAMIN CORBIN.

Union, Conn.

He was for many years a prominent and well-known citizen of Union. He was entrusted with many town offices, and performed his duties faithfully, being a man of strict integrity. He represented the town in the Legislature six times, between 1828 and 1840. He was a member and deacon of the Baptist Church at North Ashford. He was a man of strong convictions of right and wrong, and always wanted to see the right triumph. He d. May 5, 1880. His wife died at Hartford, March 29, 1894, a week after the death of her son William, at the ripe age of ninety. She was a woman of great intelligence, amiable, sympathetic, broad-minded, deeply interested in missions and in the welfare of the country.

## Children:

- i. EMELINE MARIA, b. June 11, 1831; d. Aug. 14, 1833.
- 459. ii. DAVID POTTER, b. July 11, 1833.
- 460. iii. WILLIAM MELVIN. b. May 13, 1835.
  - iv. Milton, b. Dec. 23, 1838; d. Dec. 27, 1838.
- 461. v. CHARLES MASON, b. April 1, 1840.
- 462. vi. John Warren, b. July 7, 1844.
- 288. ELEAZAR CORBIN (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. May 5, 1799; m. Dicea Crawford, June 1, 1826. She was the dau. of Samuel and Lydia (Howard) Crawford, and was b. Jan. 8, 1802. They lived in the western part of Woodstock, Conn. He d. April 3, 1851, and was buried in the Baptist Cemetery at W. Woodstock.

- i. WILLIAM WALLACE, b. April 21, 1827; d. Sept. 19, 1833.
- ii. MARY ANN LEVINA, b. June 20, 1829; m. Henry W. Scott
- iii. Samuel Solon, was engaged in the millinery business in Philadelphia, where he d., unm.
- iv. ELLA DICEA, resides in Philadelphia.
- 289. NATHAN CORBIN (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 11, 1801, at Union, Conn.; m. Ann Sumner, May 25, 1834. They lived at Woodstock, Conn., in the western part of the town. He d. March 17, 1842, and was buried in the East Cemetery at Union. His widow afterwards m. Col. Moses Chandler Sessions of Union. (See History of Union.) They removed to

Kansas in Sept., 1857, where they lived on a farm in Linn Co., and where she d. April 9, 1872, from eating poisonous canned fruit.

Children of Nathan and Ann (Sumner) Corbin, b. at Woodstock:

463. i. Myron Milton, b. March 13, 1837.

ii. JESSE SUMNER, b. Nov. 9, 1838; lived on a farm in Linn Co., Kansas, from 1857 till his death. April 9, 1872, caused by eating poisonous canned fruit.

464. iii. Byron Bruce, b. Dec. 14, 1840.

465. iv. NATHAN ALBERT, b. Jan. 7, 1843.

- 290. Polly Corbin (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 25, 1804, at Union; m. David Lawson of Union, Nov. 17, 1844. He was b. July 8, 1800, the son of Robert and Anna (Horton) Lawson, grandson of Capt. Thomas Lawson of Revolutionary fame, and gr.-grandson of John Lawson, one of the first three settlers in Union. He was a well-known citizen of Union, universally known as "Uncle David." He d. Feb. 7, 1881. She d. Jan. 29, 1895. They had no children.
- 291. Anna Corbin (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 28, 1809, at Union, Conn.; m. Charles Wesley Moore, May 30, 1830. He was the son of Ichabod and Phebe (Loomis) Moore and was b. Aug. 14, 1802. Ichabod Moore was the son of John and grandson of James Moore the emigrant. Charles W. Moore lived at Ellington, Conn. She d. Dec. 5, 1874.

- i. Mariette Moore, b. Dec. 24, 1831; m. Col. Amos Pease of Somers, May 24, 1849. Ch.: George B., William A., Isabella, Marietta, Charles, and Lillian M. Pease.
- ii. Marinette Moore, b. Jan. 30, 1833; m. Guy P. Collins of Ellington, March 21, 1855.
  iii. Milton Moore, b. Aug. 8, 1834; d. Aug. 31, 1834.
- iii. MILTON MOORE, b. Aug. 8, 1834; d. Aug. 31, 1834.

  iv. Martha Moore, b. July 23, 1835; m. Milton H. Kinney of Union, March 14, 1861; he was a highly esteemed citizen of Union, living in the village of Mashapaug. They had three children, of whom the two oldest died young and the third, Martha Josephine, b. Dec. 26, 1876, m. Ernest E. Corbin
- (Anson. Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip James, Clement.) They now live at Southbridge, Mass. v. Marcia Moore, b. July 23, 1835; d. March 19, 1837.

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vi. Charles Carroll Moore, b. June 9, 1837; m. Anna C. Clark, Oct. 18, 1864; she was b. Dec. 31, 1836, the dau. of Daniel and Lavinia (White) Clark of Ellington. They live at Ellington. They had 5 ch., of whom 3 d. young, and Anna L., b. Nov. 22, 1866, m. Arthur C. Pomeroy, Oct. 1, 1895; Francis C., b. Aug. 24, 1868, m. Susan C. Percival, Oct. 1, 1895, and has 3 ch.

vii. AMELIA A. Moore, b. Dec. 4, 1838; m. Everett P. Russell of Somers, Dec. 11, 1867.

viii. Carlos C. Moore, b. May 27, 1840; d. Sept. 14, 1842. ix. Romelia J. Moore, b. June 5, 1842; d. July 12, 1843.

x. Augusta J. Moore; b. May 20, 1844; m. Wm. H. Burdick of Somers, Nov. 27, 1866.

xi. ADELINE H. MOORE, b. Jan. 4, 1847; d. Sept. 28, 1852. xii. Julia M. Moore, b. Sept. 20, 1849; m. Malone G.

Moore, March 12, 1875; d. Nov. 7, 1875.

xiii. Josephine Abbie Moore, b. Nov. 30, 1851; m. Charles Harvey. They reside at Worcester. Two ch.: Bessie and Ruth.

xiv. EDWIN C. MOORE, b. March 20, 1854; d. Sept. 5, 1855. xv. FREDERICK W. MOORE, b. June 21, 1857; m. Harriet Walker. He is a farmer at Warehouse Point, Conn.

Amos Corbin (Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. July 5, 1795; m. Civil Perkins, dau. of Leonard and Grace (Brewster) Perkins, Oct. 3, 1820, in Henrietta, N. Y.; she was b. Oct. 27, 1799, and d. Jan. 14, 1835. He m. 2d, Hannah Coe, Sept. 9, 1835, in Madison, Hamilton Co., N. Y. He was a shoemaker and He lived at E. Henrietta, N. Y., until 1836, then at Parma, N. Clarkson, etc., until 1843, when he removed with his family, except his oldest son, to Steuben Co., Ind., and settled near Angola, where he d. Aug. 13 (or 15), 1846. He was a devoted Baptist, as is indicated by the names of his children, Adoniram Judson and Samuel Newell being well-known early missionaries, and Calista Holman, being a Baptist missionary from Union, Conn., in Burmah. Hannah Coe Corbin d. March 1, 1885, near Angola, Ind.

# Children, b. at E. Henrietta, N. Y.:

466. i. HARVEY Amos, b. Aug. 19, 1822.

ii. ADONIRAM JUDSON, b. May 30, 1824; d. Oct. 27, 1896, at Angola, Ind.

467. iii. Elijah Newell, b. March 18, 1827.

468. iv. MARY ADALINE, b. Feb. 28, 1831.

v. Calista Holman. b. Oct. 24, 1834; m. —— Pisher; d. Jan. 21, 1881, at Parma, N. Y. A son, Judson C. Pisher, b. 1864, lived at Parma, and committed suicide there April 12, 1905.

293. Lucina Corbin (Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 19, 1806, at Henrietta, N. Y.; m. Stephen Buckland, Nov. 6, 1831; she d. Jan. 18, 1835, in Rochester, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. Stephen Judson (or Judson S.) Buckland, b. May 25, 1833; m. Elizabeth L. White, Dec. 28, 1859. They live at 6 Laura St., Rochester, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. 'CHARLES WARREN BUCKLAND, b. Jan. 28, 1861; m. 1st, Florence Bronson, March 31, 1886, who d. June 23, 1890, leaving 3 ch.: Gertrude, Orpha, and Judson A. Buckland. He m. 2d, Susie Case, July 6, 1892, who has one child, William; they live at Bedford, Mich.

2. ALICE MAUDE BUCKLAND, b. June 18, 1864; m. William A. Gibbs of Rochester, June 20, 1889; they have 2 sons: Verne and Harold. Res.

Rochester, N. Y.

294. WHITMAN CORBIN (Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. April 5, 1807, in Conn.; m. Clarissy C. Church in April, 1832; she was b. Feb. 22, 1814, at Lebanon, Madison Co., N. Y., and d. June 30, 1896. They lived first at Henrietta, then at Parma, N. Y. He d. Sept. 7, 1853.

#### Children:

- i. Zenas M., d. April 11, 1845, at the age of 11 years.
- ii. Frank, was a soldier, and d. at Andersonville in 1864. iii. Myron, b. May 22, 1838; left home when young and
- iii. Myron, b. May 22, 1838; left home when young and was never afterwards heard from.
- 469. iv. Augusta, b. April 10, 1843. 470. v. Henry C., b. June 2, 1845.
  - v. HENRY C., b. June 2, 1845. vi. Lucy Jane, d. April 15, 1849; æ. 20 months.

471. vii. HARLEY W., b. April 3, 1849.

viii. Lydia A., b. Oct. 10, 1851; d. July 22, 1872.

295. REV. WILLIAM DOLIVER CORBIN (Ebenezer, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 17, 1814, at Cazenovia, N. Y.; m. Mary Jane Northrup of Deerfield, Oct. 27, 1842 (by Rev. D. J. Cory of Utica).

Rev. William D. Corbin was baptized in 1831 by Rev. John Peck, uniting with the church at New Woodstock, N. Y. He was licensed to preach in 1833. He entered the college at Hamilton, N. Y., in the class of

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1832, but his health failed so that he did not graduate. He was ordained at Meridian, N. Y., April 14, 1842. He has been pastor of the churches of Freedom, Henrietta (East and West), Darien, South Alabama, Shelby, Ontario, Williamson, Oswego. His ministry throughout was handicapped by poor health, but was very successful, and he was beloved wherever he preached. His wife, who was an exceptional helpmeet for a pastor's wife, d. March 5, 1896. He resides now with his daughter, Mrs. Pease, at 204 Pharis St., Syracuse, N. Y.

#### Children:

- WILLIAM ROSELLE.
- Albert Delos, d. young. ii.
- iii. MARY ELIZABETH, m. E. L. Pease.

Eunice Corbin (Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. April 24, 1810; m. Orris Rew, Sept. 23, 1832. He was b. April 17, 1807, and d. March 1, 1887. She d. Aug. 28, 1894.

## Children:

- WARREN REW, b. Nov. 21, 1833; d. unm. March 17, i. 1851.
- MELVILLE W. REW, b. Feb. 26, 1836; m. Clarissa E. ii. Whipple, in 1867; he was in the 1st Minn. Infantry, in 1861. He d. Nov. 20, 1882. Children:

1. RUTH MYBA REW, b. Sept. 16, 1869; m. James

R. Cravath, April 19, 1899; 2 ch.

2. JENNIE MABEL REW, b. Sept. 1, 1873; tutor in Mills College, Cal.

3. Albert W. Rew, b. Aug. 4, 1876; a physician

at Corydon, Iowa.

iii. Madison A. Rew, b. Dec. 27, 1837; m. 1st, Martha W. Eldred of Carrollton, Ill.; she d. about 1870. He m. 2d, Ellen O. Wooley, May 22, 1878; resides at Grinnell, Iowa. Children:

1. LAURA ALICE REW, b. Oct. 26, 1868; teacher

in Iowa College.

2. Morse Wooley Rew, b. Aug. 11, 1885; student in Iowa College.

ORY LUCIUS REW, b. Jan. 26, 1840; m. twice; was iv. in 33d Ill. Regt. four years. Resides at Franklin, Pa. Four daughters.

MILTON D. REW, b. April 17, 1843; was in the 5th V. N. Y. Cayalry; m. twice; three sons and one dau. of 1st wife, one son of second; oldest son is professor of Agriculture in the Alabama State Univ.

NEWTON C. (twin of Milton), b. April 17, 1843; was vi. in 5th N. Y. Cavalry, and d. in Andersonville Prison, March 12, 1864.

- vii. CARLTON H. REW, b. July 14, 1845; resides at Lindsay, Ind. Ter.
- viii. WALTER L. REW, b. ——; m. ——; resides at Friendship, N. Y.
- 297. Calvin Luther Corbin (Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. April 29, 1814; m. Clarissa Brace Eldred, widow of Moses Eldred, Feb. 17, 1841. She was b. in Litchfield, N. Y., the dau. of Jeduthan Brace, who came to what is now Winfield, N. Y., from Litchfield, Conn. Her mother was a Bushnell from Connecticut. He d. Oct. 22, 1865.

#### Child:

- 472. i. Lucius Brace, b. Nov. 13, 1842.
- 298. Lucius Stowell Corbin (Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. July 31, 1817; m. Charlotte Holmes, Feb. 18, 1847. He d. March 15, 1865.

## Children:

- i. Anna, m. Moffit; resides New Woodstock,
- ii. ETTA, m. —— Burton; resides Emporia, Kansas.
- 299. Samuel C. Corbin (Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. April 26, 1820; m. Charlotte Stowell, March, 1853. He d. Aug. 12, 1902.

#### Children:

- i. CHARLES M. CORBIN, m. Nellie Loomis; d. at Corydon, Iowa, March 2, 1902. Ch.: Maud, Hurst, Ina, and Rena.
- ii. Frank Corbin, d. unm. Also two daughters.
- 300. Ezra White Corbin (Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 20, 1797, at Afton, N. Y.; m. Harriet Pamelia Church, Oct. 23, 1823. She was the dau. of Richard Church and was b. April 23, 1805, at Afton; she d. Sept. 28, 1882. He was a farmer and lumberman at Bainbridge, N. Y., where he d. Nov. 16, 1862.

#### Children:

- i. Devillo, b. Aug. 14, 1824; d. June 12, 1827.
- 473. ii. Eunice Amelia, b. Oct. 7, 1828.

- 474. iii. GEORGE RICHARD, b. June 16, 1830.
- 475. iv. Charles Emmett, b. July 30, 1833.
- 476. v. Stephen Girard, b. Oct. 5, 1835.
- 477. vi. WILIJAM H., b. Feb. 2, 1842.

301. Patience Corbin (Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 28, 1801, at Afton, N. Y.; m. Reuben Kirby, son of Reuben and Naomi (Patterson) Kirby, Feb. 15, 1820; she d. Dec. 28, 1834.

#### Children:

i. Theodora Malvina Kirby, b. Dec. 16, 1820; m. Dr. Gaius Halsey of Unadilla, N. Y.; both d.

ii. CORDELIA LOUISA KIRBY, b. Jan. 6, 1823; m. Archibald McKinnon of Masonville, N. Y. Ch.: Archibald, res. Shelby, Mich.; Frank, res. Sidney, N. Y.; and John, became a doctor and d. in Chicago.

302. WILLIAM W. CORBIN (Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 23, 1803; m. Eunice Ann White, dau. of Asa and Sarah (Corbin) White (his cousin). Dr. Asa White, b. May 1, 1772, was lost in a snowstorm in the West, Dec. 18, 1819. Wm. W. Corbin was a farmer and lumberman in Afton. He d. May 24, 1875. She d. Feb. 23, 1882.

#### Children:

- i. Francis G., b. March 24, 1832; d. in infancy.
- 478. ii. Devillo White, b. Oct. 8, 1835.
  - iii. WILLIAM H., b. Dec. 6, 1839; d. young.
  - iv. Chester Wm., b. Dec. 31, 1842; m. Gertrude May Humphrey, Oct. 13, 1869. Ch.: Mabel, b. Nov. 11, 1884. Res. Bainbridge, N. Y.
- 479. v. Frank Jerome, b. April 8, 1849.
  - vi. George A., b. March 9, 1852; m. Mary J. Beardsley, Nov. 26, 1873; d. Aug. 3, 1875. She m. 2d, George Bennett. Ch.: Celia, b. Oct. 16, 1874; m. Edgar Ward.
- 303. Sally Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. April 19, 1800; m. Joseph Kirby, son of Reuben and Naomi (Patterson) Kirby, May 4, 1820; she d. Feb. 3, 1889.

## Children:

i. SARAH R. KIRBY, b. Jan. 4, 1821; m. William P. Cowles. Aug. 30, 1844; he was a commission merchant; she d. April 21, 1856.

- ii. GEORGE W. KIRBY, b. Sept. 12, 1822; m. Eunice Corbin, dau. of Ezra and Pamelia (Church) Corbin, Oct., 1848; he was a farmer; d. April 9, 1850.
- 304. Susan Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1806; m. Silas Fairchild; d. Oct. 6, 1833.

i. MERTON FAIRCHILD, d. unm.

ii. EUNICE FAIRCHILD, b. Jan. 4, 1832; m.

- iii. ELVIL FAIRCHILD, b. Jan. 4, 1832; m. 1st, Basha (or Batsha) Dean, July 14, 1859; she d., leaving one ch., and he m. 2d, Louise Smith, Nov. 26, 1863; he d. Feb. 20, 1889. Children:
  - 1. Frank Fairchild, b. Sept. 14, 1860, at Afton; m. Anna Hillday, at Ononta, N. Y., July 28, 1883. Ch.: Reuben Dean Fairchild, b. Feb. 8, 1885; Nancy Adelaide Fairchild, b. Dec. 21, 1886; and Clara Louise Fairchild, b. Sept. 19, 1892.
  - 2. Susan B. Fairchild, b. Aug. 29, 1867; d. Sept. 2, 1868.
  - 3. CLARA L. FAIRCHILD, b. Aug. 13, 1869; m. George B. French, Jan. 15, 1891.
    - 4. JENNIE S. FAIRCHILD, b. April 29, 1881.
- 305. ELIZABETH CORBIN (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 15, 1808; m. Samuel B. Humphrey at Bainbridge, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1831. He was a farmer at Bainbridge, where he was b. Oct. 13, 1809, and d. Sept. 2, 1883. She d. Jan. 2, 1845.

#### Children:

- i. Samuel Allen Humphrey, b. Aug. 14, 1833; m. Mrs. Hannah Priest Newell, Nov. 10, 1881; a farmer.
- ii. Susan S. Humphrey, b. Sept. 3, 1835; m. Enos Medbury, Aug. 2, 1865; a machinist. Ch.: Charles N. Medbury, b. Oct. 12, 1871; machinist. Belle E. Medbury, b. Dec. 24, 1874; m. Glenn Heath, June 24, 1893.
- iii. Sabrina E. Humphrey, b. June 25, 1838; m. Warrick F. Rhoads, Oct. 27, 1867, at Pt. Pleasant, Mo. He was son of J. A. C. and Cynthia (Flannigan) Rhoads, b. Feb. 6, 1838, at Point Pleasant, Mo.; was a teacher; d. Feb. 11, 1883. Children:
  - 1. Samuel I. Rhoads, b. Aug. 18, 1868; d. June 10, 1870.
  - 2. SUSIE I. RHOADS, b. July 31, 1870; d. July 19, 1871.
- 3. MAY E. RHOADS, b. May 1, 1872; a milliner. iv. SALLY R. HUMPHREY, b. May 25, 1841; d. Aug. 19, 1848.

306. Robert Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 30, 1811, at Bainbridge, N. Y.; m. 1st, Eliza C. Humphrey, June 9, 1840; m. 2d, Harriet Teed, April 4, 1843; she was the dau. of Nathaniel and Anna (Spawn) Teed and was b. Sept. 22, 1825, at Rensselaerville, Albany Co., N. Y., and d. Nov. 8, 1883, at Afton, N. Y. Robert Corbin d. May 8, 1893, at Afton.

# Children:

- i. ELIZA, b. Jan. 6, 1844; m. Edgar Davis, son of John Davis, Jan. 12, 1879, at Afton, where they lived and where she d., Feb. 14, 1883; no ch.
- ii. EUNICE A., b. April 10, 1845; d. Nov. 11, 1856.
- 480. iii. Charles Allen, b. July 22, 1850.
  - iv. ALICE, b. Feb. 7, 1851; d. Feb. 26, 1852.
  - v. MARY JOSEPHINE, b. Sept. 6, 1852; d. April 18, 1869.
- 481. vi. Eva Almeda, b. Nov. 3, 1856.
  - vii. FLORENCE EUGENIA, b. Dec. 14, 1861; m. Franklin Joseph Pardee, son of Henry Spencer and Phebe (Huntington) Pardee, Oct. 5, 1882. He is a farmer at Afton, N. Y., where they reside; no ch.
- 307. Lyman Bennett Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. April 15, 1813; m. 1st, Mary Ann Delaney in 1837. She d., and he m. 2d, Sally Ann Messenger in 1853; she was b. May 17, 1829, in Virgil, Tompkins Co., N. Y., and d. at Hart, Mich., April 16, 1879. He d. Aug. 22, 1880. He moved from Bainbridge, N. Y., to Dryden about 1840, and to Hart, Oceana Co., Mich., about 1865. He was a wheelwright.

# Children of 1st wife:

- 482. i. AMELIA E., b. Dec. 31, 1838.
  - ii. SAMUEL D., b. 1841; killed Jan. 11, 1854.
- 483. iii. HELEN A., b. Dec. 10, 1841.
- iv. CAROLINE E., b. 1844; d. Feb. 25, 1846.
- 484. v. IDA I., b. Aug. 5, 1849.

#### Children of 2d wife:

- vi. SARAH ARDELL, b. Oct. 7, 1854; d. Nov. 14, 1866.
- 485. vii. FRED L., b. Feb. 3, 1858.
- 486. viii. Frank, b. Sept. 30, 1860.
- 487. ix. WEBB, b. June 13, 1862.
  - x. Leo, b. April 18, 1867; d. Aug. 14, 1868.
- 308. Joseph Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. May 21, 1817; m. Adelia Mills; her

mother's name was Sally Partridge Mills. He d. March 17, 1845, and she d. Jan. 22, 1845.

#### Child:

- 488. i. James Joseph, b. Jan. 19, 1845; he was brought up by Samuel and Augusta Corbin.
- 309. Lydia Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 17, 1819; m. 1st, William L. Partridge, a tanner and farmer at Bennettsville and Afton. He d. at Bainbridge, and she m. 2d, William Crandall. She d. Dec. 5, 1892.

## Children:

i. OLIVE REVIAH PARTRIDGE, b. April 24, 1841; m. George Teed, Aug. 27, 1862; d. in Texas, Oct. 19, 1883. Children:

1. WILLIAM H. TEED, b. April 7, 1867, at Bain-

bridge.

2. LIDA B., b. Aug. 3, 1869, at Afton; m. Frank Hare, March 7, 1889; he is a farmer at Afton. Children:

1. FRED HARE, b. Oct. 16, 1889.

- OLIVE R. HARE, b. Aug. 29, 1895.
   Anna C. Teed, b. April 15, 1872, at Afton.
- 4. BLANCH TEED, b. July 12, 1874, at Bain-bridge.

5. LAURA A. TEED, b. June 5, 1876, at Afton.

6. RUSH TEED, lives in Texas.

ii. HIRAM CORBIN PARTRIDGE, b. June 2, 1842; m. Laura A. Humphrey, March 16, 1863, at Sanford; a farmer at Bainbridge. Children:

1. ADELINE L. PARTRIDGE, b. Dec. 11, 1866; m. Frank Lowman, Oct. 10, 1889. Ch.: Beatrice, b.

May 1892; d. young.

- 2. Howard Bussell Partridge, b. July 20, 1870; m. Ethel Bagley, Jan., 1891. Ch.: Nena, b. Aug. 27, 1891.
- iii. ELLEN PARTRIDGE, d. young.
- 310. Samuel Corbin (Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. March 31, 1822, at Bainbridge, N. Y.; m. Augusta M. Bennett, dau. of Phineas and Sophia (Chandler) Bennett, May 15, 1846, at Bennettsville, N. Y.; she was b. Aug. 6, 1825, and d. Feb. 23, 1899. He was a miller and farmer at Bainbridge and a good musician. He d. July 27, 1882, at Afton.

#### Children:

i. Jane Elizabeth, b. Nov. 25, 1846; m. Charles M. Priest, Dec. 31, 1867, at Afton; he is a merchant at Bainbridge. Children:

1. HELEN A. PRIEST, b. Dec. 3, 1868; m. Frank Barber, Dec. 2, 1892. Ch.: Helene, b. Oct. 9, 1895, at Liberty, N. Y.

2. SAMUEL C. PRIEST, b. Aug. 15, 1870; d. Aug.

3. Josephine Priest, b. Dec. 21, 1873; m.

George Whitman of Morris, N. J.

HELEN, b. Sept. 20, 1866; m. Jesse Whitman, Feb. ji, 15, 1893; he is a shipping clerk. Ch.: Samuel Corbin Whitman, b. Sept. 1, 1896.

Samuel Corbin also brought up his nephew, James J.

Corbin.

SIMEON BOWEN CORBIN (Benjamin, Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 17, 1815; m. Mary Gates at Worcester, Jan. 18, 1844. She was the dau. of Levi and Uranah (Paine) Gates of Worcester. Uranah was the dau. of Gideon Paine. Levi Gates was the son of Nathaniel Gates of Worcester, a prominent and wealthy citizen. Levi Gates was a sergeant in the celebrated Worcester artillery in the war of 1812. He was a magnificent man in all respects.

Simeon B. Corbin carried on an extensive manufacturing business (sash and blinds), and was active in public affairs and very popular. He d. Nov. 16, 1882, at E.

Somerville, Mass.

#### Children:

i. Atmore Bowen, b. Jan. 9, 1845, at Southboro, Mass.; d. by drowning, Sept. 10, 1846, at Holden.

LEVI GATES, b. Aug. 2, 1846, at Holden, Mass. ii.

**49**0. iii. Francis Bowen, b. Feb. 25, 1848.

MARIANNA BOWEN, b. May 21, 1853; d. Jan. 12, 1854, iv. at Worcester.

312. Benjamin Corbin, Jr. (Benjamin, Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 13, 1819, at Smithfield, R. I.; m. Lydia Kesia Stone, widow of John Sabin Jillson, March 4, 1843, at Lebanon, Conn. She was b. at Guilford, Conn., Nov. 17, 1810. She had two sons, John and Edmond Jillson, of whom Edmond was a soldier in the Civil War and afterwards a policeman at Guilford. She d. April 10, 1900, at Guilford. Benjamin Corbin, Jr., was a well-to-do manufacturing druggist at Guilford, Conn., from which place he was elected to the state legislature in 1858 as an American Republican. He filled numerous political offices in the town of Guilford and also

in East Haven and Fair Haven, to which place he removed in 1871. He was a leading member of the Congregational Church at Guilford. He d. Sept. 4, 1884, at New Haven, and was buried in the Alderbrook Cemetery, Guilford, Conn., with the other members of his family.

# Children:

- i. Charles Smith, b. Oct. 22, 1844, at Scotland, Conn.; m. Fannie Irene Parmele, Oct. 30, 1877, at Fair Haven, Conn. He d. Dec. 19, 1881, at New Haven.
- ii. MARY BOWEN, b. April 24, 1847, at Guilford, Conn.; d. Jan. 20, 1883, in New Haven.
- 491. iii. George Henry, b. June 28, 1855, at Guilford.
- 313. ISAAC NEWTON CORBIN (Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June, 1811, in Woodstock; m. Maria Bartlett of Eastford about 1835. He lived at W. Woodstock, where he d. June, 1894.

# Children:

i. ISAAC NEWTON, b. April, 1836; d. Sept. 16, 1853.

ii. Emmon Bradford, b. Oct. 31, 1838; m. Fidelia Nichols of N. Brookfield, Aug. 25, 1865. He was a soldier in the Civil War with the 1st Conn. Heavy Artillery for three years. He resides at North Brookfield, Mass. Children:

1. Ernest Dewey, b. Oct. 29, 1866, at Uxbridge, Mass.; m. Ella May Amidon, Nov. 8, 1888;

he is an optician at N. Brookfield.

2. ISAAC NEWTON, b. June 30, 1868, at Auburn,

Mass.; d. Feb., 1896, at Santa Fé, N. M.

3. MABEL MARIA, b. May 16, 1871, at Auburn; m. Isaac Corbin Marcy at Thanksgiving, 1888; she d. Nov., 1900, at N. Brookfield; he d. May, 1901.

iii. BETSEY MARIA, b. 1845; m. George Marcy of Holland; she d. Feb., 1883, at Union, Conn.; had two sons, one of them Isaac Corbin Marcy above.

iv. IDA ELIZA, b. ——; m. Silas W. Newell of Union, Nov. 21, 1866; she d. April 15, 1885. Children:

- 1. SILAS WRIGHT NEWELL, b. Nov. 11, 1867.
- DAVID LAWSON NEWELL, b. Nov. 9, 1869.
   Fred Emmons Newell, b. Feb. 1, 1872.
- 4. MYRA IDA NEWELL, b. Oct. 15, 1881; d. Feb. 7, 1883.
- Janc Corbin Newell, b. March 14, 1884.
   Daniel Bartlett, m. Nellie Hannington of Wales, Mass.; is a carpenter at E. Brookfield, Mass.
- 314. LARNED CORBIN (Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. April 20, 1819, in Thompson, Conn.; m. Adaline F. Jackson, July 7, 1839, at Woodstock; she

LARNED CORBIN



was b. there Sept. 11, 1816. They resided in Eastford, Woodstock, and Abington, Conn. He was a shoemaker, working at that trade at Woodstock Valley, making shoes for Reed & Tourtelotte, and from 1861 to 1869 for B. A. Corbin & Son of Webster, taking the work home, as was done in those days. At the age of fifty he gave up shoemaking and engaged in farming for the rest of his life. He d. at Λbington, Conn., June 1, 1889.

# Children:

492. i. CHARLES C., b. June 19, 1843.

493. ii. EMILY H., b. May 11, 1845.

494. iii. GEORGE A., b. Sept. 17. 1849.

495. iv. ALBERT H., b. June 19, 1852.

v. HATTE M., b. May 16, 1856; m. Albert E. Lippitt, June 20, 1875, at Putnam, Conn.; he was b. Sept. 4, 1837; they lived at S. Woodstock, Conn. She d. Jan. 30, 1890. 'Children:

1. GRACE V. LIPPITT, b. Aug. 6, 1876; m. William F. Law of Putnam, Conn., Dec. 6, 1899.

2. MINNIE B. LIPPITT, b. Oct. 30, 1878; m. Herbert H. Flagg of Putnam, Oct. 27, 1904, at Danielson, Conn.

vi. Cora I., b. May 1, 1858; m. Albert S. Perren, June 1, 1893, at Putnam, Conn. He was b. Dec. 20, 1844, in Thompson, Conn. They live in Brooklyn, Conn., where he has been in the meat business since 1896.

vii. Benjamin B., b. Sept. 29, 1860; d. June 13, 1884, at Worcester, Mass.

315. HEZEKIAH CORBIN (Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 22, 1827, at South Woodstock, Conn.; m. Ruhamah Farnum, June 30, 1847. He d. in 1898. He was a shoemaker.

#### Children:

- i. Levi W., b. June 30, 1848, at Ashford, Conn.; enlisted in Co. I, 1st Conn. Cavalry, Dec. 16, 1863; was killed April 6, 1864, at Harper's Farm, Va., while taking down the flag of the secessionists.
- ii. Joseph N., b. May 29, 1850, at Putnam, Conn.; m. Ella U. Allen of Woodstock (or Ella F. Handy?), July 1, 1869. A son. Edwin, was b. to Joseph Corbin and Ella Handy Dec. 21, 1874, at Woodstock. (Wd. Town Rec.)
- iii. EDWIN H., b. April 18, 1855, at E. Killingly, Conn.; m. Amelia A. Phelps, Jan. 30, 1877; resides at Marlboro, Mass. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES HENBY, b. Jan. 16, 1880.
  - 2. MARY ABIGAIL, b. Nov. 3, 1884.

- 3. GEORGE ALVIN, b. Nov. 21, 1888.
- 4. EDGAR JOHN, b. Oct. 20, 1891.
- 5. MARTHA SOPHIA, b. Feb. 11, 1894.
- iv. Mary F., b. Oct. 9, 1857, at Harrisville, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. Frank Handy.
- v. Charles J., b. March 22, 1862, at S. Woodstock, Conn.; m. Annie B. Stevens, April 12, 1882. Children:
  - 1. MABEL.
  - 2. Burton.
- vi. HARRY L., b. Nov. 9, 1864; m. Henrietta W. Burns, Dec. 25, 1890; d. March 13, 1901, at Deerfield Centre, Mass.
- 316. George N. Corrin (William, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 18, 1821; m. Annie Lyon, Nov. 26, 1843, in Killingly, Conn. He d. May 26, 1869, in Gloucester, R. I. She was b. May 19, 1825, in Foster, R. I., and d. March 27, 1858, in Smithfield, R. I.

- i. George A., b. July 21, 1849; d. Sept. 29, 1851.
- ii. CHESTER E., b. Dec. 12, 1851, in Smithfield, R. I.; m. Carrie M. Eddy of Gloucester, R. I., Aug. 4, 1872. Children:
  - 1. MYRTIE E., b. Oct. 13, 1876; m. A. E. Wallis of East Douglass, Mass., April 21, 1895.
  - 2. CYNTHIA A., b. Feb. 28, 1881, in Gloucester, R. 1.; m. Orson M. Chase, July 3, 1898, in Douglass, Mass., where they live.
- 317. AHOLIAB J. CORBIN (James, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 20, 1823; m. Harriet Sanger, his cousin, May 5, 1846, at E. Woodstock. He d. Feb., 1900. Mrs. Corbin resides at 476 Arch St., New Britain, Conn.

#### Child:

- i. Frank Henry, b. Feb. 19, 1852, at Woodstock; m. Lucy Alice Robbins of Newington, in 1882. He is in the insurance business at New Britain, Conn. Children:
  - 1. Lucy Elizabeth, b. Nov. 9, 1883.
  - 2. HENRY LOWRY, b. Feb. 27, 1891; d. March, 1892.
    - 3. ARTHUR SANGER, b. Nov. 13, 1892.

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318. Horace A. Corbin (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 16, 1828, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Malvina A. Putnam, April 27, 1858. She was b. July 20, 1829, the dau. of Moses Hewitt and Amanda (Holden) Putnam of Charlestown, N. H. They moved to Union City, Mich. An illustrated magazine, "Peerless Union City," gives the following sketch of Horace A. Corbin:

The eldest of a family of eleven children, he was born and reared among the hills of the Old Granite state. A hillside farm, plentifully besprinkled with rocks and stones, which had descended from grand- $\cdot$  sire to sire, taught the lad as soon as he was able to wield the hoe and spade, that life was real, life was earnest, and developed in him in after years that spirit of indomitable energy and perseverance which characterized all his efforts in whatever he undertook. Aside from the manual training which the old farm gave him, he turned to so good advantage the winter terms of school which New England boys were taught to appreciate, that these advantages with several months in a neighboring academy enabled him to teach country schools in the winter, alternating with farm work in summer, until he was twenty-five years of age. He then went to Boston, and served apprenticeship in a dry-goods store for three years. Having obtained a good knowledge of the business, he acted upon Horace Greeley's advice. Selecting Union City as his objective point, where his sisters were married and settled, he lost no time in making his way thither, arriving in the spring of 1856. The next day after his arrival found him established as partner in a general store with his brother-in-law, Hiram Crissy. For twenty-seven years he was engaged in the dry-goods business in this city, only retiring from active life as failing health made it necessary. Mr. Corbin carried the same energy and enthusiasm into his church and Sunday-school relations that characterized him as a business man. For many years he served on the board of trustees for the Congregational church, and for a period of fourteen years he was superintendent of the Sunday-school.

He was in many respects a model Sunday-school superintendent, drawing out the best efforts of others, as well as being most careful and painstaking himself. In regard to his business life it was said of him, "If ever an honest man was born, then Horace A. Corbin was one." He d. Jan. 14, 1896. Mrs. Corbin and her daughter Jennie reside at Union City, Mich.

- i. HARRIET PUTNAM, b. Jan. 5, 1861; d. April 20, 1861. ii. JANETTE ELIZABETH, b. July 28, 1863; graduated from Oberlin College; is now serving her eighth year as preceptress of the Union City High School.
- 319. Mary Corbin (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1829, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Isaac Tower of Springfield, Vt., April 2, 1849, at Charlestown, N. H. He was b. June 13, 1822, the son of Abraham and Betiah (Field) Tower. They settled in Union City, Mich., where he is now the vice-president of the Union City National Bank. He was for twenty years engaged in the boot and shoe business, which his sons, "Tower Bros.," now carry on. He has held several public offices and has been a valuable citizen and helper in the development of Union City.

#### Children:

i. CLARENCE EUGENE.

ii. Willis H., b. 1856; studied at Olivet College; m. Ida E. Caniff, Nov. 14, 1879. One son, Leland H., b. Sept. 19, 1880, is a graduate of the medical department of the University of Michigan. They had two other children: Harry, b. June 12, 1884, and Mary, b. Dec. 24, 1892, both dead.

iii. NEWTON E., b. 1858; also studied at Olivet College; m. Elva Ebling, in 1886; 2 ch.: Harold N. E., b. May 18, 1889, and Marjory E., b. March 6, 1891. N. E. Tower is postmaster and a prominent citizen

of Union City.

320. Martha Corbin (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1829; m. Hiram Crissy, Oct. 16, 1852. He was b. Oct. 3, 1819, in Binghamton, N. Y., and d. Nov. 25, 1891.

### Children:

i. ELLEN FRANCES, b. Nov. 7, 1853.

ii. SARA LUCRETIA, b. March 26, 1856; m. Peter Joseph Panly, Jan. 26, 1881. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

iii. Frank St. John, b. March 12, 1859; m. Jennie Saunders. Aug. 26, 1891. One ch.: Herbert St. John, b. June 20, 1892.

iv. HENRY AUGUSTUS, b. Dec. 18, 1866; d. in infancy.

321. HENRY BACON CORBIN (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 20, 1833, at

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Charlestown, N. H.; m. Lillie E. Brown at Murfreesboro, Tenn., Dec. 18, 1865.

She was descended on her mother's side from the McIlvaines, an ancient and important family in Scotland. During the religious persecutions there some of them took refuge in the north of Ireland, of whom one, Andrew, came to America about 1729 and settled in Delaware. Mrs. Corbin's line of descent from him is James, Robert, David, her grandfather.

Henry B. Corbin served in the Civil War three and one-half years, and was promoted from lieutenant to captain of Battery D, 1st Mich. Artillery. He participated in the battles of Pittsburg Landing, Stone River, Tenn., Perryville, Ky., Chickamauga, and several other engagements. Both he and his brother John had typhoid fever while in service.

#### Children:

i. HARRY E., b. June 29, 1868, at Murfreesboro, Tenn. He is an electrician and a fine musician, residing at Fond du Lac, Wis.

ii. LAURENE, b. Sept. 29, 1869, at Union City; m. Henry Wallichs of Fond du Lac, Wis. She was educated at the State Normal School at Ypsilanti, Mich., and the musical dept. of Oberlin, and before her marriage was teacher of music in the public schools of Fond du Lac.

iii. Another child died in infancy.

322. SILAS BOND CORBIN (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 7, 1839; m. Ella Spofford, Jan. 4, 1883, at Union, Branch Co., Mich. She was the dau. of Christopher C. and Sophronia P. (Steele) Spofford, and was b. Nov. 7, 1849.

#### Children:

- i. John C., b. Aug. 22, 1884, at Burlington, Branch Co., Mich.
- ii. ELIZABETH F., b. Sept. 5, 1886, at Sherwood, in the same county.
- 323. Samuel Corbin (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 5, 1843, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Sophia Church, March 12, 1865. She was b. at Lowell, Vt., Nov. 6, 1843. They had two children, Charles William and Ada A., both of whom d. young.

"Peerless Union City," published in March, 1903, contained the following sketch of Samuel Corbin:

No name is more widely known in the vicinity of Union City, especially among the farmers of this section, than the one at the head of this sketch. Mr. Corbin was born in Charlestown, Sullivan County, N. H., in July of 1843, and when nineteen years of age he came to Union City, where he has since continued to reside. He has been engaged in various mercantile enterprises, notably the boot and shoe and the grocery lines, and during the most of the time he has been a dealer in grain and other products of the farmer. He began the purchase of grain here the year before the Air Line Division of the Michigan Central Railroad was constructed, and was the first grain buyer to utilize the new grain elevator then built here. For a number of years, also, he has made a feature of the wool business, and he is the largest buyer of this commodity in this part of the country, his purchases at this and neighboring places aggregating one-half million pounds per annum. Union City is considered an excellent market for all that the farmer raises, largely owing to the business methods of Mr. Corbin, and this is one reason for the town's popularity with the agriculturists hereabouts. manner of conducting business is honorable and satisfactory is plainly shown when we state that a goodly number of the farmers in this vicinity never think of disposing of their products without first consulting Mr. Corbin. He is a large real estate owner, including business blocks and considerable desirable residence property. will be readily observed that Mr. Corbin is necessarily a busy man, but nevertheless he finds time for the social and other duties that devolve upon him.

He d. suddenly, July 29, 1904, of heart failure, highly esteemed for his fair dealing, kindness, and generosity.

324. James Willard Corbin (Ichabod, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 19, 1835; m. Margaret Bowker or Booker of England, April, 1860. He was a soldier in the 14th N. H. Vol. Infantry in the Civil War. He d. Aug. 9, 1904, in Franklin, N. H.

#### Children:

- i. HERBERT, b. Sept. 24, 1866.
- ii. Blanche, b. Feb., 1871.
- 325. Chauncey Leonard Corbin (Ichabod, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 11, 1844, at Charlestown, N. H.; m. Helen Elizabeth Locke, Sept. 23, 1867. She was b. Nov. 27, 1844. He was a soldier in the Civil War, being musician in Co. B, 14th N. H. Vols. He was afterwards for many years a merchant in Charlestown, where he still resides. His wife, Mrs. H. E. Corbin, a talented woman, is a specialist in pension and gov-

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ernment claims, a dealer in real estate, and a correspondent for the Boston Globe and several other newspapers.

## Children:

- i. Fred Chauncey, b. Dec. 14, 1869; d. Dec. 28, 1870.
- ii. EDGAR CHARLES, b. Aug. 13, 1871.
- 326. WILLIAM EUGENE CORBIN (Samuel N., Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. March 15, 1869; m. Mary Elizabeth Richardson, at Woburn, Mass., Dec. 23, 1892. She was b. Sept. 24, 1867, at Stoneham, Mass., the dau. of Reuben and Mary Elizabeth Richardson.

He entered the paper business with P. C. Cheney Co. in 1887, in his eighteenth year; began work for the Berlin Mills Co. of Berlin, N. H., May 25, 1893, and became superintendent of the paper mill the following October. Took charge of the pulp mill in addition, Dec. 1, 1896. Became general superintendent July, 1902, since which time the business has greatly enlarged. He is a well-known Mason and fraternity man, having received many of the highest degrees. An elaborate banquet, tendered to him March 18, 1905, by the foremen and office force of the Berlin Mills Co., showed the high esteem in which he is held. Res. Berlin, N. H.

#### Child:

- i. MAGEL WILHELMINA, b. July 29, 1894.
- 327. CLARENCE EUGENE CORBIN (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1842; m. Elizabeth Maria Coburn, dau. of Augustus A. and Sophia Jane (Manning) Coburn, by Rev. Corrington E. Taylor at Warren, Pa., Oct. 15, 1868. She was b. Jan. 23, 1843. He was a member of the 109th Regt. N. Y. Volunteers and served three years in the Civil War; was present at the storming of Petersburg. Res., Aurora, Pa.

# Child:

- i. Jennie Augusta, b. Feb. 18, 1873; m. George W. Russell, son of James, of Tracey Creek, Broome Co., N. Y. One ch.: Goldie, d.
- 328. ISAAC NEWELL CORBIN (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. 1845; m. Susan

Billings, dan. of Clinton, May 30, 1881. Res. S. Apalachin, Pa.; a farmer.

#### Children:

- i, Adeline, grad. Owego H. S., 1903.
- ii. GRACE, grad. Owego H. S., 1904.
- 329. FLORA DELPHINE CORBIN (Nelson, Ebenezer, Glement, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 19, 1847, at Warren, Pa.; m. John T. Searles of Flemingville, N. Y., April 15, 1867. He is a grocer at Owego, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. SARAH ADELINE SEARLES, b. May 4, 1868; m. William Marquart, Jan. 8, 1896.
- ii. JESSE EUGENE SEARLES, b. April 4, 1873; m. Lena Robinson, Sept., 1900; she d. Feb., 1902.
- iii. Ella Norah Searles, b. Dec. 14, 1875; m. John Dean, April 29, 1896; he d. July, 1898.
- iv. DELL RAY SEARLES, b. June 23, 1884.
- v. Clara Alida Searles, b. Oct. 26, 1885.
- vi. REVERE SEARLES, b. July 10, 1891.
- 330. Lucy Emeline Corbin (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), m. Homer Searles, nephew of John Searles, Nov. 15, 1869. He was a farmer at Flemingville, N. Y., but now resides at Owego, N. Y., where he is road commissioner.

#### Children:

- i. ROBERT SEARLES, b. April 15, 1873; d. March 26, 1875.
- ii. CARL SEARLES, b. Feb. 2, 1877; m. Ruth Clinton of Newark Valley. Res. Owego.
- iii. Abchie Nathan Searles, b. Jan. 30, 1889.
- iv. Howard Searles, b. Aug. 20, 1897.
- 331. ARTHUR LEVELLE CORBIN (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. 1850; m. 1st, Sarah Lown, dau. of Jacob and Catherine Lown of S. Owego, N. Y. She d. March 25, 1878. He m. 2d, Augusta Lamb, dau. of George and Mary Jane (Whalen) Lamb, May 22, 1878. They reside at Owego, N. Y.

#### Children of 1st wife:

i. IRA, b. Aug. 17, 1873; m. Kitty Reed. Res. Suffield, Conn. Ch.: Irvin Reed, b. Nov., 1902.

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- ii. ELMER HENRY, b. Sept. 29, 1874; m. Anna ———. Res. Sheepshead Bay, L. I., where he is a telegraph operator.
- iii. LOTTIE MAY, b. Nov. 11, 1876; m. Harry Hoffman. Res. Rockford, Ill. Child:
  - 1. ELLA HOFFMAN, b. Sept., 1902.

# Children of 2d wife:

- iv. WILLIAM NELSON, b. May 13, 1881. Res. Lestershire, N. Y.
- v. Mary Adeline, b. June 8, 1882; d. Oct. 1, 1883.
- vi. GRACE E., b. Oct. 10, 1885.
- vii. Angie Emeline, b. Nov. 3, 1886.
- 332. Horace Wm. Corbin (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 6, 1860; m. Louisa Wheaton, dau. of Joseph and Ruth of South Warren, Nov., 1886; she d. Resided Athens, Pa. He is now in Lincoln, Neb.

#### Children:

- i. HAZEL LA FLOSS, b. Oct. 8, 1888.
- ii. RUTH EVELYN, b. May, 1902.
- 333. Herman Showers Corbin (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 2, 1861, at Warren, Pa.; m. Martha Conant, dau. of Emery E. and Juliaette (Lent) Conant of Apalachin, Oct. 26, 1881. He is a boiler-maker at Sayre, Pa., residing at 109 N. Hopkins St.

#### Children:

- i. Leona, b. Aug. 10, 1882; m. Morris Guest, March 19, 1902. He is a machinist at Bellefontaine, Ohio.
- ii. MABEL, b. July 28, 1884.
- 334. Lucy Corbin (Joshua, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Dec. 31, 1828; m. Sidney White in 1848; he was a farmer at Windham, Pa. His wife, who was a very clear-headed, straightforward woman, d. there Jan. 9, 1897. He d. at Windsor, N. Y., in 1902.

#### Children:

i. Walter Shaw White, b. Feb. 24, 1849; m. Belle A. Currier, June 19, 1873, in Windham, Pa.; she was

the dau. of David and Jane (Gambol) Currier of Lacyville, Pa., and was b. Sept. 29, 1845; she d. at Warren, Nov. 1, 1878. He m. 2d, Mrs. Emma Adams Heffley, Sept. 4, 1888; she was the dau. of James and Mary (Miller) Adams, and was b. near Dayton, O., July 14, 1860. Walter S. White went to Neb. in 1879, and settled at Shickley. From 1895 to 1902 he was living in Alabama, but has now returned to Neb. Children:

HERBERT ELWELL WHITE, b. April 6, 1874; went to Iowa in 1896, and m. Mary Cardin, Dec. 6, 1899, at Bawden, Ia. He is a farmer at Sheldon, Ia. Ch.: Bruce Herbert, b. June 6, 1900; Ralph Emmet, b. Aug. 19, 1901, and Verna Catherine, b.

Sept. 28, 1903.

2. MIRANDUS EVELINE WHITE, b. Aug. 30, 1875.

3. LELIA VESTINE WHITE, b. May 26, 1878; d. Sept. 3, 1878.

Children of 2d wife, b. at Shickley, Neb.:

4. STELLA GRACE WHITE, b. July 19, 1889. 5. SIDNEY THEODORE WHITE, b. Sept. 9, 1892.

ji. SHERMAN S. WHITE, b. 1853; d. same year.

iii. ALICE CORINTHA WHITE, b. Nov. 21, 1855, at Orwell, Pa. She resided with her parents and cared for them until after her mother's death, and then went to Owego, N. Y., where she is employed in the glove factory.

iv. Pluma Romanda White, b. June 16, 1863, at Cadis, Pa.; m. Charles G. Travis, Sept. 28, 1886, at Deposit, N. Y. He was b. Dec. 15, 1863, the son of Stephen and Emily (Cresson) Travis of Hale Eddy, N. Y. They reside at Windsor, N. Y., where

he is a whip-maker.

- PHEBE ELIZABETH WHITE, b. Aug. 15, 1867, at v. Wairen. Pa.; m. William H. Sibley, son of John G. and Emily (Wheaton) Sibley of Windham, b. July 30, 1866. He is a farmer at E. Nichols, Pa. Ch.: John S., b. Dec. 8, 1885; Genevieve M., b. Feb. 8, 1887; Lucie B., b. June 26, 1890; Gilbert H., b. May 15, 1892, d. March 20, 1897; Walter J., b. April 8, 1894; Alice I. C., b. May 3, 1895; William H., b. Dec. 1, 1895; Charles T., b. Jan. 6, 1900; Earl D., b. July 1, 1902, d. March 6, 1903; Roy and Ruby, b. Feb. 5, 1904.
- 335. SARAH ANN CORBIN (Joshua, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. at Warren, Pa.; m. Burton B. Franklin, March 4, 1860; he was b. Jan. 8, 1833, at Huntington, Pa. He served in the Civil War from Sept. 6, 1864, until June 5, 1865. He lived at Windham, Pa., and Tioga Center, N. Y. He d. May 22, 1904. The first four children were b. at Windham, the rest at Tioga Center.

- i. RANSOM JOSHUA FRANKLIN, b. Sept. 4, 1861; unm.; is a farmer and grain merchant at Lloyd, Tioga Co., Pa.
- ii. EDWARD LEVI FRANKLIN, b. July 25, 1863; m. Lida Davis, Oct. 17, 1886, at Athens, Pa.; she was b. April 2, 1861, at Burlington, Pa. He is a farmer at Ulster, Pa. Ch.: Ray Edward, b. May 10, 1887; Laura Jane, b. Dec. 23, 1898; Hazel Irene, b. April, 1903.
- iii. ESTELLA FRANKLIN, b. May 18, 1866; m. Frank A. Spellman, Aug. 24, 1895, at Middletown, Conn.; he is a farmer at E. Longmeadow, Mass. Four ch.
- iv. Luella Franklin, twin of the above, b. May 18, 1866; m. Smith Van Ostram, Sept. 8, 1884, at Tioga Center, N. Y.; he d. in 1902; she resides at Waverly, N. Y. One son, Charles, b. Oct. 1, 1886.
- v. Rosa Belle Franklin, b. April 27, 1868; m. Peter Powell, Oct. 31, 1892, at Binghamton, N. Y., where they live; he served nine months in the Spanish War.
- vi. John Benjamin Franklin, b. May 2, 1870; d. Aug. 8, 1877.
- vii. CLARENCE CLEMENT FRANKLIN, b. July 28, 1872; d. Feb. 6, 1874.
- viii. ESTELLE ELWELL FRANKLIN, b. Feb. 6, 1875; grad. from Brown University in 1898; is with the American Express Co., New York city.
- ix. Samuel S. Franklin, b. Dec. 8, 1876; served two years in the Spanish and Philippine wars; is now a motorman at Springfield, Mass.
- x. H. Burton Franklin, b. Aug. 8, 1878; grad. from the Binghamton, N. Y., High School in 1900; is a reporter there.
- xi. PAUL REVERE FRANKLIN, b. Jan. 5, 1880; a farmer at Lloyd, Pa.
- xii. Charles Arthur Franklin, b. July 15, 1882; a farmer at Lloyd, Pa.
- 336. Anna M. Corbin (Joshua, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1849, at Warren, Pa.; m. Henry Walker, Jan. 15, 1868, at Windham, Pa.; he was the son of Charles and Minerva (Osborn) Walker and was b. April 6, 1846, at Windham, where they now reside.

## Children:

i. MYRTIE M. WALKER, b. Aug. 30, 1870; m. Charles Barnes, son of Edgar and Sarah Spencer Barnes, Dec. 18, 1889. Two ch.: Henry Earl, b. March 14, 1891; and Harold W., b. Jan. 6, 1900. Res. Windham, Pa.

- ii. FANNIE B. WALKER, b. March 6, 1880; m. Edmer Waterman, son of Ezekiel and Deliverance (Bixby) Waterman, Sept. 1, 1897, at Nichols, Pa. Res. Osborn Hill, Windham, Pa. One ch.: Casper A., b. July 30, 1899.
- iii. Jennie A. Walker, b. Feb. 4, 1882; d. April 16, 1885.
- iv. Flossie M. Walker, b. May 22, 1889.
- 337. Lewis Decaton Corbin (Henry, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. at Mendon, Mass.; m. 1st, Catherine Churchill of Upton, Mass., about 1849; she was b. in Plymouth, Mass., and d. in 1854. He m. 2d, Anna Eliza Saunders, Nov. 20, 1871, at Hartford; she was b. July 25, 1848, at Glastonbury, Conn. He was a soldier in Co. A, 46th Mass. Vol. Inf. in the Civil War. Afterwards he was in the hat business for many years. He d. Feb. 2, 1897, at Hartford. His widow lives at 51 Bellevue St., Hartford.

- i. Henry Alonzo, b. 1851, at Upton, Mass.; m. Eliza L. Brooks of Upton, in 1872. He resides at Upton, where he has been on the Board of Assessors three years, a library trustee for twelve years, and a member of the Republican Town Committee for ten years; he was chosen in 1904 the representative from Upton. Children:
  - 1. BERTHA ESTELLE, m. William B. Walker, in 1898, at Upton; 3 ch.: Marion E., Chester, and Ada Viola Walker.

2. Edith Churchill.

- ii. Lula Tracy, b. Nov. 25, 1873, at Hartford; m. Edwin J. Smith, Jr., Sept. 2, 1903; res. 51 Bellevue St., Hartford. Ch.: Russell Corbin Smith, b. Dec. 29, 1904.
- iii. MABEL WILLIAMS, b. Nov. 20, 1881; d. Sept. 10, 1885.
- iv. Anna Grace, b. Oct. 4, 1887.
- 338. Alfred B. Corbin (Alonzo, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 5, 1840; m. 1st, Olive Sleeper, dau. of Joseph and Maria (Bowen) Sleeper, Feb. 1, 1861; she d. April 13, 1863. He m. 2d, Romanda M. Prince, dau. of Abel and Ruth (Elsbree) Prince, Nov. 24, 1864; she d. Dec. 23, 1870, leaving one son, Manson. He m. 3d, Dorcas A. Cornell, dau. of Edward T. and Maria (Haner) Cornell, Dec. 15, 1872. He is a farmer at Warren Center, Pa.

i. FRECKLIE, d. in infancy.

ii. Manson E., b. Aug. 19, 1866; m. ——. Resides at 96 Howell St., Providence, R. I.

iii. HARRIET, m. Edmund W. Chaffee. Ch.: Frank L. and Fred Chaffee.

iv. Dorcas.

339. ELLEN E. CORBIN (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 15, 1833; m. Jesse R. McCarty in 1857 at New Albany, Pa. They live at Eldredsville, Elkland Township, Pa., where the children were born.

#### Children:

i. MELVIA E. McCARTY, b. Jan. 19, 1858.

ii. LLOYD L. McCARTY, b. April 30, 1859.

iii. ORRIN M. McCARTY, b. July 13, 1861.

iv. WILLE D. McCarty, b. Feb. 27, 1864.

v. JENNIE U. McCarty, b. Oct. 8, 1865.

vi. Anna S. McCarty, b. July 13, 1867.

vii. MINNIE H. MCCARTY, b. Oct. 4, 1869.

viii. GEORGE P. McCarty, b. May 31, 1871. ix. OSCAR H. McCarty, b. July 13, 1873.

x. CLINTON P. McCarty, b. Nov. 8, 1876.

340. OLIVE M. CORBIN (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Dec. 13, 1834; m. William Haverly of Overton, Pa., in 1857; he was b. July 9, 1831, in Forks, Pa., the son of Henry and Rosina (Kilmer) Haverly. They live at Overton, Pa., where he has held several town offices.

#### Children:

i. HIRAM HAVERLY, ) twins, b. April 1, 1858; d. in

ii. Herman Haverly, infancy.

iii. ZILPHA E. HAVERLY, b. Aug. 6, 1859; m. Rev. J. C. B. Moyer of Baldwinsville, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1878, at Campbellsville, Pa. He is a member of the Central New York M. E. Conference, and is at present stationed at Baldwinsville, N. Y. Children:

1. WILLIAM HOWARD MOYER, b. March 24, 1883, at E. Palmyra, N. Y.; is a student of dentistry at

Buffalo.

2. ETHEL GLADYS MOYER, b. May 21, 1893, at

Horseheads, N. Y.

iv. MINOR D. HAVERLY, b. April 5, 1863; m. Margaret E. Kemes, dau. of Simon L. and Marie (Theil) Kemes, Sept. 17, 1885, at Overton, Pa. Res. 1313

W. Onondaga St., Syracuse, N. Y., where he is a carpenter and builder. Child:

- 1. RUTH BEATRICE HAVERLY, b. Feb. 2, 1904. v. IRVIN D. HAVERLY, b. May 17, 1871; he is a physician at Campbellsville, Pa.
- Orbin A. Corbin (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 12, 1836, at Wyalusing, Pa.; m. Caroline Minkler, Oct. 1, 1867, at Rochelle, Ill. He moved from Pennsylvania to Rochelle in 1857, where he engaged in teaching and farming until Feb., 1864, when he enlisted in Co. H, 46th Ill. Inf., and served until May 21, 1865, being engaged the last five months in the provost-marshal's office at Vicksburg. After his discharge he remained in Mississippi, engaged in mercantile business and cotton raising. In May, 1867, he was appointed a member of the registration and election board for Yazoo Co., Miss., under the reconstruction laws. He returned to Rochelle, Ill., in 1868, and the next year removed to Tecumseh, Johnson Co., Neb., where he now resides, engaged in farming. He was a Republican member of the Nebraska legislature in 1889 and 1890. He is a member and worker in the M. E. Church.

#### Children:

- i. Eva Belle, b. Nov. 29, 1868, at Rochelle, Ill.
- ii. ABIGAIL GRACE, b. Aug. 14, 1871, in Tecumseh, Neb.iii. MAE MINCLAIRE, b. May 14, 1879, in Tecumseh, Neb.
- 342. John Leroy Corbin (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 24, 1844; m. Mary Alice McGee, Nov. 13, 1884, at Yazoo City, Miss. He was a soldier in the Civil War in Co. C, 2d Regt., Pa. Artillery, enrolled March 28, 1864, discharged May 30, 1865. He moved to Mississippi in 1870, where he was a planter. He d. June 7, 1891. Mrs. Corbin resides at Yazoo City, Miss.

# Child:

- i. CECIL GAYLORD, b. Dec. 23, 1886.
- 343. WILLIAM P. CORBIN (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 15, 1846, at Albany, Pa.; m. Emma Foster, June 24, 1876; she was b. March 28, 1860, the dau. of John C. and Eliza (Wood)

Foster of Asylum, Pa. William Corbin was in Co. C, 2d Regt., Pa. Provisional Artillery, enlisting March 28, 1864, was wounded in front of Petersburg, and discharged May 23, 1865, at York, Pa. He is a stone and brick mason, residing at New Albany, Pa.

## Children:

JOHN W., b. July 18, 1878; a druggist at New

Albany, Pa.

ii. FRANK M., b. March 8, 1880; enlisted as a private in 22d Battery, Field Artillery, U. S. Army, Nov. 7, 1898, for three years, two of which were spent in the Philippines; discharged Nov. 6, 1901. Res. New Albany, Pa.

344. LUDD DELANSON CORBIN (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 21, 1849, at Albany, Pa.; m. Florence S. Coleman of Albany, Jan. 14, 1871, at Monroeton, Pa. He d. March 26, 1887. After his death the mother, with the help of the older daughters, supported the family by dressmaking.

# Children:

LOTTIE ELIZABETH, b. April 23, 1872, at Albany, Pa.; i. m. Clarence L. Sherman of Waverly, N. Y., May 24, 1893; they removed to Binghamton, N. Y., in 1901, where he is a baker, and where they reside at 38 Broome St. No ch.

JENNIE MAY, b. May 6, 1874, at Sheshequin, Pa.; d. ii.

May 16, 1874.

iii. BERTHA VIOLA, b. July 6, 1875, at Wyalusing, Pa.; m. Monroe Hancock, Oct. 5, 1894, at Waverly, N. Y.; one ch.: Lottie Leone, b. May 24, 1896.

LESLIE OLIVER, b. July 2, 1877, at New Albany, Pa.; iv.

d. Nov. 26, 1889, at Binghamton.

Rosa Delle, b. Aug. 13, 1879, at New Albany, Pa.; v. m. Clarence Howard Holland of Binghamton, June 25, 1902. Ch.: Florence Anna, b. Aug. 25, 1903.

ORRIN ARTHUR, b. Nov. 23, 1881, at New Albany; m. Miss Pearl Zimmer of Binghamton, Oct. 5, 1901. Ch.: Leslie Delanson, b. Jan. 18, 1904.

vii. MARY JANE, b. Jan. 6, 1884. at New Albany; m. Frank Whittemore of Binghamton, Dec. 25, 1900. Children:

1. Orrin Leslie Whittemore, b. April 18, 1902.

- CLARENCE JOHN WHITTEMORE, b. April 24, 1904.
- OLIVETTA M., b. March 6, 1886, at Evergreen, Pa.

GEORGE GAMBLE CORBIN (Ira W., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 6, 1837; m. Ellen E. Newell, July 3, 1861. He is a merchant at Potterville, Pa., where he has been school director, justice of the peace, etc.

# Children, b. in Potterville:

- i. MARY B., b. June 23, 1863; m. Wilbur Gorham, a farmer, at Orwell, Pa. Ch.: Reeve, Beatrice, and George Gorham.
- ii. Newell Grant, b. Nov. 9, 1865; m. Tonie Matthews, Nov. 9, 1904.

iii. George Dewitt, b. July 28, 1874.

- iv. Cora St. Leon, b. Dec. 6, 1875; d. in infancy.
- v. Georgianna, b. Oct. 8, 1878. vi. Winifred L., b. Nov. 4, 1884.
- 346. John Leroy Corbin (Ira W., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 23, 1845; m. Delette Cook, Oct. 23, 1870, at Potterville, Pa. She was b. there Aug. 4, 1852. He m. 2d, Carrie Matthews of Sayre. Res. Potterville, Pa.

### Children of 1st wife:

496. i. WILLIAM L., b. Jan. 8, 1872.

ii. Fred Douglass, b. June 23, 1874; is a jeweler at Danbury, Conn.; unm.

iii. Lena May, b. Dec. 22, 1876; m. John Rowley Fausey, Dec. 26, 1898. He is principal of the Greeneville public school at Norwich, Conn. She was educated at the Cortland Normal School and at Syracuse University.

#### Child of 2d wife:

iv. CHARLES M.

347. DIANA ALICE CORBIN (William F., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 29, 1840, at Warren, Pa.; m. Julius H. Burr, Aug. 8, 1840, at Warren, Pa. (by Rev. A. C. Sperry). She d. April, 1891, at W. Warren. He m. again and lives at Towanda, Pa.

# Children b. at W. Warren, Pa.

- i. HARRIET ALICE BURR, b. April 17, 1870; m. J. Stanley Smith of Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 1, 1895. They now reside at 113 Halstead St., East Orange, N. J. Children:
  - 1. Annie Burr Smith, b. Oct. 7, 1895.
  - 2. KATHARINE CECILE SMITH, b. Jan. 27, 1897; d. March 25, 1905.

- 3. DAVID HERBERT SMITH, b. Oct. 21, 1898.
- 4. TRUMAN STANLEY SMITH, b. Sept. 30, 1900.
- 5. Fred Turner Smith, b. June 5, 1902.
- 6. EARL JAMES SMITH, b. Dec. 16, 1904.
- ii. HARRY JOSLYN BURR, b. Jan. 30, 1872; m. Katharine Belle Griffith of Windham, Pa., Jan. 30, 1897. He attended public school until eleven years old, and then spent five years at the Soldiers' Orphan School at Harford, Susquehanna Co., Pa. He went to New York in 1890, was for three years in the milk business, ten years with a large printing house, and is now superintendent of the manufacturning department of the largest color printing house in the country. Children:
  - 1. Elsie Jeanette Burr, b. Oct. 30, 1900.
  - 2. Griffith Corbin Burn (twin), b. May 18, 1902.
  - THEODOSIA CHRISTINE (twin), b. May 18, 3. 1902.
- CHAUNCEY JOSLYN CORBIN (William F., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 29, 1847, at Warren, Pa.; m. 1st, Anna M. Hopkins of Indiana, Pa., June 3, 1872, at E. Mahoning, Pa. (by Rev. D. W. McLane); she d. Dec. 9, 1877, at Carlisle, Pa. He m. 2d, Ella Irons. He d. Jan., 1889.

#### Children of 1st wife:

- CHARLOTTA J., m. Carmi Rogers; they live at W. Warren, Pa. Ch.: Alexander P., Cora A., Rachel M., and Orrin L. Rogers.
- MABEL VERMONT, m. Charles Hermon Bridenbaugh; ii. they live at 3747 N. Park Ave., Philadelphia.
- WILLIAM WALLACE CORBIN (William F., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 8, 1850, at W. Warren, Pa.; m. Emma Flora Hamilton, Dec. 28, 1876, at Owego, N. Y., where he had settled in 1873. was b. Nov. 10, 1858. He was for many years a salesman of dry goods, first in a store and then traveling in twentythree states. He was afterwards engaged in business in Clarksville, N. Y., Elmira, N. Y., Williamsport, Pa., and in the life insurance business at Fremont, Neb. He sustained an accident April 23, 1896, while in New York city, by a collision on the Broadway Cable Road, which injured his spine in such a way that he was never well after that. He died at his home at 250 Front St., Owego, N. Y., March 20, 1905. He was an active member of the

M. E. church since he was seventeen years of age, and held several offices in the church at Owego.

### Children:

- i. Bruce Baker, b. April 7, 1878; prepared for college in Wyoming Seminary, Pa., and is now a student in the Syracuse University and a preacher in the Northern New York M. E. Conference at Constantia, N. Y.
- ii. Nellie Bly, b. Aug. 23, 1879. iii. Sarah Emily, b. Aug. 26, 1886.
- iv. WILLIAM AUSTIN, b. Oct. 23, 1888.
- 350. Wealthy Ann Corbin (William F., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 28, 1854; m. 1st, Walter Scott Northrup, Dec. 20, 1871; he was b. in 1852 and was killed by a threshing machine Sept. 15, 1877. She m. 2d, Frank J. Hunt. They live at W. Warren, Pa.

### Child:

- i. GREY LA FRANCE HUNT. m. Nettie Divine of LeRaysville; they reside in Newark, N. J.
- 351. Ernest A. Corbin (Nelson D., Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. March 4, 1847, at Warren, Pa.; m. Margaret Eliza Winne, dau. of Walter and Harriet Elizabeth (Rouse) Winne, Aug. 10, 1876. She was b. Sept. 7, 1851, in Albany, N. Y. He d. of typhoid fever, Aug. 26, 1899. Mrs. Corbin resides at 43 Myrtle St., Albany.

It is to Ernest A. Corbin that the credit for starting this Corbin Genealogy is in part, at least, due. He began his investigation about 1890, and subsequently spent much time on it, especially during his vacations, up to the time of his death. He should be kept in the grateful memory of all the Corbin race.

### Children:

- i. John Iveson Winne. b. July 15, 1877, in Greenbush (now Rensselaer, N. Y.); m. Alta Marie Mentzer, dau. of James and Mary (Goodyear) Mentzer of Carlisle, Pa., July 8, 1904. She was b. July 28, 1879, near Carlisle. Pa. They reside at Cadis, Pa. ii. Ernest Albert, b. Dec. 27, 1884; d. July 18, 1885.
- ii. ERNEST ALBERT, b. Dec. 27, 1884; d. July 18, 1885.iii. Walter Edward, b. Sept. 27, 1889; d. July 2, 1890.

ERNEST A. CORBIN,

Albany, N. Y.



The following sketch of Prof. Ernest Corbin was prepared by Rev. Dr. E. C. Lawrence of Schenectady, N. Y., who was his personal friend from boyhood.

#### ERNEST A. CORBIN, A.M.

Ernest Albert Morrison Corbin was born on a farm near Warren Center, Bradford County, Pa., March 4, 1847. His maternal grandfather, Rev. Mr. Iveson, was an English Congregational clergyman, sent over by the London Missionary Society as a missionary to the Indians of Long Island. He settled at Moriches, and labored with great zeal and a gratifying measure of success among the aborigines on the coast. He also served as pastor of the Moriches Congregational church from 1825 to 1830. Mr. Corbin sprang from a family of teachers, and doubtless inherited much of his talent for teaching from his ancestors.

Young Corbin, being a strong and sturdy boy, and possessing high intellectual ambition, could not be content with the weary dull round of drudgery in which the majority of farmers passed their time in his boyhood. He therefore left the old farm on the hills, and, coming to Owego, N. Y., entered the academy there in 1863, and spent four years of assiduous study under Prof. Joseph A. Prindle. Mr. Corbin's parents were unable to pay all the expenses of his education, and on this account he found it necessary to husband his slender resources and add to them as opportunity afforded. While preparing for college he helped himself by working mornings and nights to pay for his board, and in vacations he bent all his energies to earning money for tuition books and clothing. In 1865 he united with the Owego Presbyterian church. In the fall of 1867, with three other students, of whom the writer was one, he journeyed to Schenectady, and entered the classical course of Union College. While in college he was never noted as a brilliant scholar, but he won and kept the respect and confidence of the faculty and his fellow-students by his painstaking and conscientious attention to prescribed duties. Honest and upright in his dealings, tactful, industrious, endowed with common sense, affable and friendly, always gentle and patient in his manners, he won and kept many friends. Mr. Corbin was a man of solid worth, with no merely showy attainments. As a member of the Adelphic Literary Society he became an excellent debater. For recreation he preferred walking to other forms of exercise, and thus visited with his chums Troy, Albany, and other towns. He graduated from college in 1871, and later received the degree of A.M. in course. Afterwards he studied medicine in the Albany Medical College, and in the office of Dr. E. A. Vander Veer of Albany. Immediately after finishing his course at Union he worked for a time at civil engineering; then taught the graded school at Stillwater, N. Y., for a year. From this position he entered the Albany Business College for a year as teacher of mathematics. He wished very much to become a surgeon, but, not having the means to continue his medical studies, he accepted the position of principal of the grammar school at Greenbush, N. Y. (now Rensselaer), where he served for nine years. After this he was placed in charge of School No. 7 in Canal St. (now Sheridan Ave.), Albany. During Mr. Corbin's residence in Greenbush he was the prime mover in organizing the Rensselaer County Teachers' Association, and served as its president for several years. In January, 1884, Mr. Corbin was transferred to the Albany High School, as professor of natural sciences, where for the next two and one-half years he labored with success and made many friends. But the chair in the high school not proving altogether congenial, at his own request he was made principal of School No. 20, and continued to occupy this position until his death.

Mr. Corbin, as a rule, supported the Republican party, always, however, aiming as an intelligent and patriotic citizen to vote for the best men and measures. Soon after taking up his residence in Albany he joined the Congregational church there, and served with fidelity and ever increasing usefulness as trustee, deacon, and Bible-class teacher. By nature Mr. Corbin was exceedingly kind-hearted, delighting to help some poor, distressed body over a hard place. Hence early in his manhood he was sought out as a worthy member for brotherhoods, and his name was enrolled in the lodges of Masons and Odd Fellows. On presenting the required proofs of eligibility he was admitted to the Order of the Sons of the American Revolution, being a member of the Philip Livingstone Chapter of Albany.

As a collegian, Mr. Corbin adopted the Latin motto, "Perseverantia omnia vincit," — perseverance conquers all things; he verified

it with untiring force and patience all the rest of his life.

In the spring of 1899 our friend was seized with typhoid fever, and, after a long battle, succumbed to the disease Aug. 26th. Three days later he was buried with masonic honors at the Rural Cemetery. His chum and lifelong friend, Rev. Dr. E. C. Lawrence, who had officiated at his wedding just twenty-three years before, conducted the funeral services, preaching from II Tim. 4; 7, 8: "I have fought a good fight," etc. Many former pupils of Prof. Corbin's schools were present, and the principals of the various city schools attended in a body.

Mr. Corbin is survived by his wife. Mrs. Margaret E. (Winne) Corbin, a most estimable lady, a gifted musician, and organist for many years of the First Congregational Church at Albany (over which Dr. Ray Palmer was an early pastor); also by his son, Mr. John Iveson Winne Corbin of Cadis, Pa., who has acquired consider-

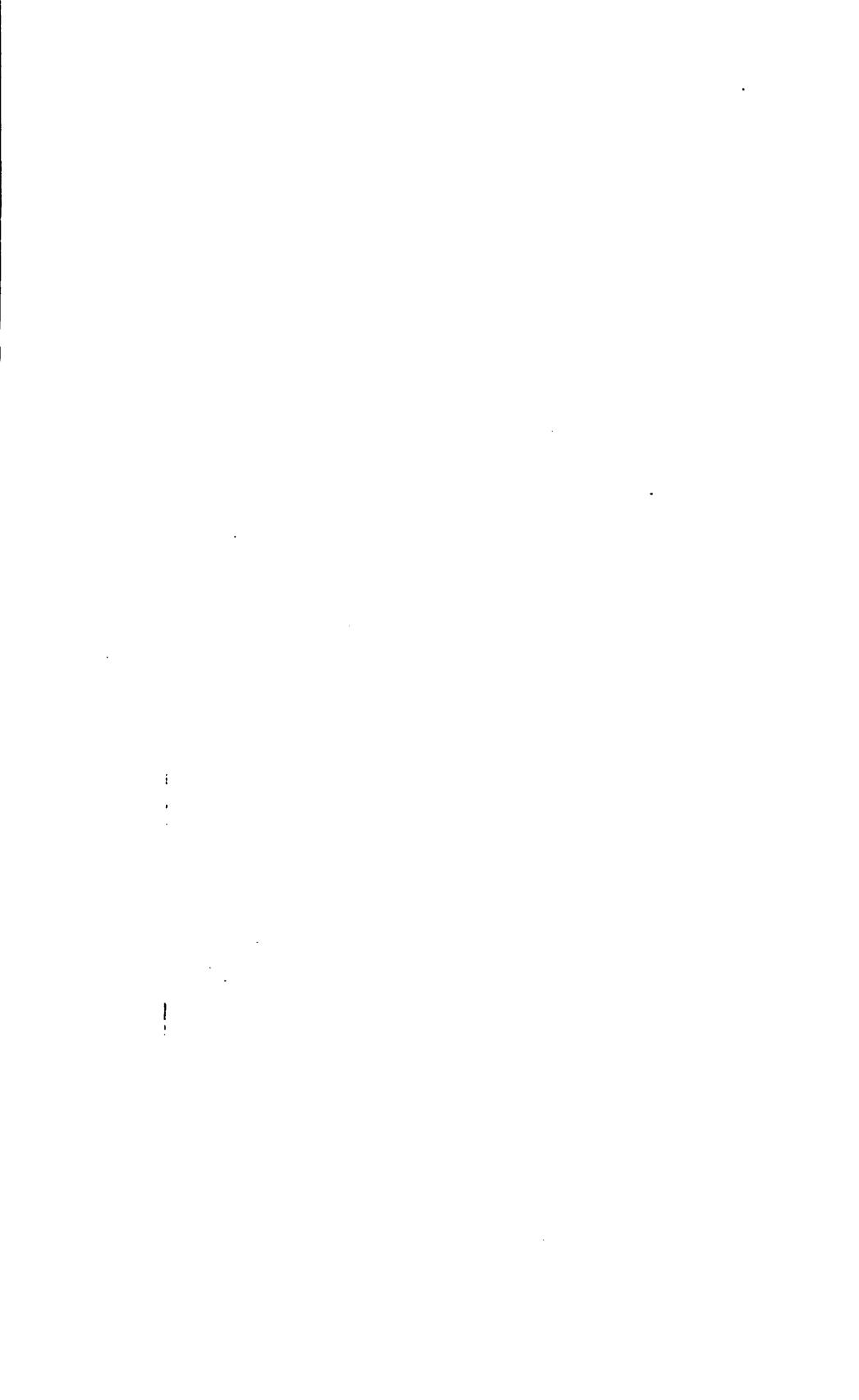
able local fame as a naturalist.

352. Dr. Appleton Kelly Corbin (John A., Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 25, 1851, at Waverly, N. Y.; m. Theresa Torrey, Oct. 9, 1880, at Hinsdale, N. Y. He studied medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York, graduating in 1879. He practiced at Hinsdale, N. Y., Clermont, Wilcox, and Bradford, Pa., and is now at Sayre, Pa.

### Child:

- i. ARTHUR LEROY, b. Jan. 25, 1883.
- 353. JOHN ARTHUR CORBIN (John A., Aaron, Clement, Clement, James. Clement), b. April 19, 1853, at Waverly, N. Y.; m. Marie Overton, June 1, 1893, at Buffalo, N. Y. She is the dan. of Major Giles B. and Maria (Wilmot) Overton and was b. Jan. 31, 1866.

MARGARET E. (MRS. ERNEST A.) CORBIN, Albany, N. Y.



Maria Wilmot was a sister of David Wilmot of the "Wilmot Proviso," and chairman of the convention which nominated Abraham Lincoln for president, in 1860. Giles B. Overton was a gr.-grandson of George Clymer, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and the first president of the Academy of Fine Arts of Philadelphia; also a gr.-grandson of William Bingham of Philadelphia.

He is a lawyer at 220 Broadway, New York, of the firm of Corbin & O'Ryan. Res. 432 Central Park West, New York city.

354. MARY JANE CORBIN (Schuyler, Parley, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 19, 1829; m. Marvin W. Robinson of Oxford, Dec. 2, 1849.

## Children:

- i. Schuyler Robinson, b. Aug. 24, 1850; drowned Aug. 6, 1867.
- ii. ALICE ROBINSON, b. July 27, 1854; m. Frederick G. Hyde, June 15, 1887; he was the son of Col. Augustus and Fidelia W. Hyde of Norwich, Conn, and was b. May 11, 1847. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1867. From that time until 1879 he served on various U. S. vessels, being commissioned lieutenant in 1871. After this he served as instructor in the Annapolis Academy, and, after other service at Norfolk, Va., resigned his commission in 1883 and went to live in Oxford, Mass. In 1888 he removed to Woodstock, Conn., where he d., Sept. 10, 1890. He was an estimable man, true to every duty, and one who won many friends. His first marriage was with Mary H. Dunster, at Vallejo, Cal., June 2, 1870, by whom he had one son, Fred.

Children of Frederick and Alice R. Hyde:

1. MARVIN F. HYDE, b. July 11, 1888.

2. EUGENE S. HYDE, b. and d. in 1890.

Alice R. Hyde m. 2d, William J. Lindeman, Dec. 28, 1897; they have one child, Walter R. Lindeman, b. Dec. 1, 1898; res. Woodstock, Conn.

- iii. HATTIE F. ROBINSON, b. Dec. 16, 1856; m. Horatio C. Rich, June 14, 1881; they live at Oxford, Mass. Children:
  - 1. LAURA A. RICH, b. April 5, 1887.
  - 2. ETHEL F. RICH, b. Sept. 5, 1888.
  - 3. MARY E. RICH, b. Aug. 19, 1891.
  - 4. AGNES L. RICH, b. Oct. 20, 1895.
- 355. MILO H. CORBIN (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1831, at Greene, N. Y.; m. Ellen Foster, Jan. 18, 1852, at Clarksville, N. Y. She was b. April 30, 1833, at Greene, N. Y., the dau. of Hosea and Merdula Foster. He d. July 16, 1881, at Utica, N. Y.

### Children:

497. i. HARMÓN ALONZO, b. May 25, 1855, at Clarksville, N. Y.

498. ii. DANIEL EDWIN, b. May 31, 1858, at Amity, N. Y.

iii. F. Eloise, b. April 4, 1861, at Amity, N. Y.; d. Nov. 28, 1897, at Friendship.

499. iv. Julius Hoyr, b. Nov. 28, 1868, at Friendship, N. Y.

v. EMOGENE, b. May 22, 1874, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Dr. Nathaniel Fuller, July 30, 1903, at Friendship. He was the son of Aaron and Mary Fuller.

356. Robert H. Corbin (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 13, 1834, at Greene, N. Y.; m. Mary A. Levings, Feb. 14, 1855, at Belmont, N. Y. She was b. Dec. 30, 1837, at Andover, N. Y., the dau. of Charles and Gertrude Levings. She d. July 22, 1883. They lived at Amity, N. Y., where the children were born. He m. 2d, Mary Woodard, March 29, 1884, at Eldred, Pa.

#### Children:

i. Ella, b. Sept. 23, 1856; d. Oct. 8, 1863, at Amity.

ii. Adelle, b. Nov. 27, 1857; d. Oct. 24, 1869, at Amity.

500. iii. CARDIN C., b. Aug. 4, 1859.

501. iv. M. Leone, b. Aug. 5, 1861.

502. v. CALVIN R., b. Aug. 24, 1866.

503. vi. ESTHER C., b. July 3, 1869.

357. HELEN M. CORBIN (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 24, 1836; m. James M. Stout, July 21, 1853, at Friendship. He was b. June 2, 1827, at Dryden, N. Y., the son of Charles and Ure Stout. They lived at Amity, N. Y., where the children were born. He d. May 7, 1897, at Amity.

### Children:

i. Addie J. Stout, b. Feb. 28, 1855; m. Clarence F. Smith. Ch.: Cletha, b. May 20, 1902.

ii. ELIZABETH R. STOUT, b. Sept. 27, 1862; m. Wm. A. Nye. Ch.: Earl J., b. Jan. 27, 1883; Ruth, b. Aug. 29, 1892.

358. Daniel L. Corbin (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 8, 1839, at Greene, N. Y.; m. Jane Wells, Feb. 24, 1859, at Little Genesee. She was b. Jan. 7, 1859, at Little Genesee, N. Y., the dau. of Daniel and Sally Wells.

Daniel L. Corbin learned the blacksmith's trade when

JOSHUA W. CORBIN. Priendship, N. Y.



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DANIEL L. CORBIN, Friendship, N. Y. young and worked at it seven years until 1862, when he enlisted in the 136th Regt. of N. Y. Volunteers and served three years. On his return he became an expert horseshoer and, as he says, "has made the art a deep study," for he regards it "one of the noblest callings and as much a profession as surgery." He has indeed won a wide reputation in this line, and has been called on to manufacture special shoes for fast horses, lame horses, etc., to send to all parts of the country. He has also conducted a school in scientific horseshoeing, and trained many men to be expert in it. He is a lover of fine horses. He lives at Friendship, N. Y., where his children were born.

### Children:

KATIE, b. July 16, 1861; d. Jan. 12, 1864. i. ii.

NETTIE B., b. Jan. 2, 1866; d. Oct. 26, 1880.

DINNIE, b. Dec. 30, 1868; m. Fred Brothers, Nov. 23, 1893, at Friendship. He was b. Feb. 17, 1871, at London, Eng., the son of Robert and Jane Brothers.

iv. HELEN, b. Nov. 24, 1873; m. Fred Robertson, July 1, 1896. He was b. Nov. 1, 1867, at Friendship, the son of Charles and Martha Robertson.

Joshua W. Corbin (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, **359.** Clement, James, Clement), b. June 12, 1841; m. Fannie M. Cooley, Jan. 8, 1866, at Friendship, N. Y. She was the dau. of Charles and Louisa Cooley and was b. June 22, 1845, in Connecticut. Joshua Corbin was a soldier in the Civil War, enlisting Sept. 10, 1861, in Co. C, 85th Regt., N. Y. S. V. He served in the Army of the Potomac, was color bearer for the regiment at battle of Fair Oaks, and was slightly wounded. After the Peninsula campaign his regiment was sent to North Carolina, where several engagements took place, and where he was captured at Plymouth, April 20, 1864. He was confined at Andersonville, Ga., and Florence, N. C., for nearly a year, being paroled March 31, 1865, and discharged April 21st of the same year.

Their first three children were b. at Friendship and the last at Amity, N. Y. Their present address is Belmont, N. Y.

## Children:

i. FLORENCE A., b. June 27, 1867; m. Albert Brands, Oct. 7, 1890, at Amity; he was b. March 1, 1854, at Amity.

504. ii. WILLIAM M., b. Nov. 8, 1868.

iii. ROYAL C., b. Aug. 4, 1875.

iv. CHESTER W., b. April 9, 1886.

360. HIRAM S. CORBIN (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Sept. 24, 1843; m. Sarah E. Stearns, May 21, 1868, at Amity. She was b. Nov. 3, 1849, at Amity, N. Y., the dau. of Chauncy and Keturah Stearns. He was a soldier, enlisting Nov. 7, 1861, in Co. C, 85th N. Y. S. V.; re-enlisted Jan. 1, 1864; captured at Plymouth, N. C., April 20, '64, and was confined at Andersonville, Ga., and Florence, N. C., where his weight diminished from 180 to 90 pounds. Is now a farmer at Amity. The first eight children were b. at Friendship and the rest at Amity, N. Y.

### Children:

i. Infant, b. Jan. 17, 1869; d. March 11, 1869.

505. ii. MINNIE M., b. Feb. 16, 1870.

506. iii. SEWALL C., b. Aug. 23, 1871.

iv. CLARENCE B., b. March 4, 1873; m. Sadie Fowler Englehart, April 16, 1902, at Scio, O. She was b. April 2, 1876, at Scio, O., the dau. of Jeremiah and Catherine Fowler.

v. Clayton, b. Jan. 22, 1877; d. April 12, 1877.

507. vi. A. Bert, b. April 14, 1879.

vii. WELLINGTON, b. Sept. 17, 1880.

viii. Bessie, b. Sept. 26, 1882; d. July 7, 1901.

ix. Forest, b. April 18, 1886.

x. Clyde, b. Oct. 9, 1889; d. Nov. 17, 1889.

xi. HARLAN, b. Sept. 19, 1893.

361. John H. Corbin (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. June 13, 1846; m. Mary A. Walker, Sept. 7, 1872, at Friendship. She was b. June 7, 1853, at Albion, N. Y., the dau. of Samuel and Helen Walker. He d. May 3, 1898, at Olean, N. Y. Mrs. Corbin has resided at 1596 Main St., Buffalo, but expects to make her home with her son Samuel at the Isle of Pines.

## Children:

i. Samuel Richard, b. Dec. 2, 1877, at Amity, N. Y. After completing his education at the North Olean Union School he took an electrical course, in which he became very proficient. After working for some time for the George Fuller Construction Co., he was employed on the Pan American grounds at Buffalo. From there he went to the World's Fair at St. Louis, and was engaged in helping to produce the

HIRAM 8, CORBIN, Friendship, N. Y.



beautiful electric display. After the close of the fair he went to Cuba, and is now on the Isle of Pines, at McKinley, near Nueva Gerona.

ii. RALPH, b. May 23, 1883, at Olean, N. Y.; d. June

6, 1884.

iii. Eva, b. Sept. 2, 1889, at Olean.

iv. Bessie, b. May 28, 1892, at Olean.

362. Lois Corbin (Austin, James, James, James, James, James, Clement), b. Dec. 21, 1819; m. William Dunton, Aug. 1, 1844. He was the son of Moses Dunton and was b. Nov. 19, 1817, at Millbury, Mass. She d. July 7, 1893.

## Children:

i. EMMA CORBIN DUNTON, b. May 1, 1846; d. Sept. 23, 1847.

ii. Mary Ann Dunton, b. Aug. 22, 1848; m. Oscar A. Bostwick of Toledo, Ohio, Sept. 8, 1886, at Newport, N. H. Child:

1. MARIA DUNTON BOSTWICK, b. Dec. 27, 1887;

d. Aug. 29, 1890, at Newport.

- iii. FREDERICK WILLIAM DUNTON, b. June 9, 1819; m. Emily M. Morgan of Brooklyn, Feb. 13, 1878. He has been engaged as cashier of the Corbin Banking Co. Children:
  - 1. Lois Dunton, b. Jan. 31, 1879, in Brooklyn.
  - 2. EMILY MORGAN DUNTON, b. June, 1880, in New York.
  - 3. WILLIAM DUNTON, b. April 4, 1887, at Hollis, Long Island.

4. KATHERINE DUNTON, b. at Hollis, L. I.

363. Austin Corbin (Austin, James, James, James, James, Clement), b. July 11, 1827, at Newport, N. H.; m. Hannah M. Wheeler, Aug. 16, 1853, at Newport. She was the dau. of Simon and Hannah (Haven) Wheeler and granddau. of Rev. Jacob Haven of Croyden.

Mr. Austin Corbin, after receiving a good public school education, went to Boston in 1846, where he was employed as a clerk for a year. Afterwards he studied law and graduated from the Harvard Law School in 1849. He began the practice of law in his own state in partnership with Ralph Metcalf, afterwards governor of the state. Like many a young man of that period, he looked longingly toward the growing West as a field where he would have wider scope for his active mind. In 1851 he moved to Davenport, Iowa, with the intention of following his

chosen profession. While successful as a lawyer, he did not practice very long, for his quick eye perceived that the development of the resources of his adopted state was retarded for want of capital, and he conceived the idea of bringing eastern capital there and lending it on good security. Hence, leaving the law business, he formed in 1855 the banking house of Macklot & Corbin. Mr. Corbin had a wide acquaintance with financial men in eastern business circles, from whom he was enabled to command plenty of money with which to carry out his ideas. The business grew and thrived, and was established upon so secure a foundation that it withstood the storm of the panic of 1857, being the only banking house west of the Mississippi that did not suspend payments at that time.

When the National Banking and Currency Act was passed in 1863, Mr. Corbin was the first to apply for and secure a charter. The result was that the First National Bank of Davenport, Iowa, commenced business June 29, 1863, two days earlier than any other association in the United States. The possibilities of enlarging a business already so successful induced Mr. Corbin to remove to New York city in 1865. He opened an office in a little back room at 170 Broadway, with an office boy as his only assistant. The business developed into the Corbin Banking Co., which was founded in 1874.

Mr. Corbin discovered in that year that Manhattan Beach could be made a great resort. He had taken his family there for health reasons and was so impressed with the possibilities that he bought considerable real estate on the beach, formed the Manhattan Beach Improvement Co.

and erected the Manhattan and Oriental hotels. He was very particular to maintain the high character of these.

His attention was next turned to the Long Island Railroad, then insolvent, which he saw, by proper management, could be made to yield heavy revenues. He obtained a controlling interest in the stock, and very soon showed that he could make it pay. His work resulted in the great development of the towns along the line of this railroad, especially in making it a residential section.

Having revealed himself as one of the most practical and capable railroad men in the United States, he became

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prominently identified with the reorganization of the Reading Railroad, then in bankruptcy. He was induced to accept the presidency, and at once entered upon active work in an undertaking which was probably the most stupendous one he ever assumed. In this, as in his previous railway ventures, he was successful, and brought the property to a solvent condition. In his later years Mr. Corbin was deeply interested in making Fort Pond Bay, at the extreme eastern end of Long Island, the terminus of a transatlantic steamship line, which would considerably shorten the time to Europe. Had he lived this would probably have been carried out.

Mr. Corbin never lost his love for nature and for his native place. He established his summer home at Newport, N. H., where he bought large tracts of land and formed a remarkable game preserve. This game park (finely described in the Century Magazine for October, 1897) comprises upwards of 26,000 acres. Within that vast enclosure are kept hundreds of moose, elk, deer of different varieties, bison, and wild swine from the German Black Forest. The estate is about eleven miles long by four wide, diversified by mountain and valley, hence affording a good environment for all these various animals. Their propagation was very successful, and Mr. Corbin put large sums of money into it.

Mr. Corbin met with a very sad death in a runaway accident at his home in Newport, New Hampshire, June 4, 1896. He was thrown from his carriage and so seriously injured that he died within a few hours. His remains were taken to New York, where the funeral was held at St. Bartholomew's church. His sudden death was a great shock to all his friends and wide circle of acquaint-ances.

Mr. Corbin was a man of great energy and activity. When asked why he did not retire from active business and enjoy his fortune, he replied, "I get my enjoyment in attending to my business. What would this country come to if all the men who projected great enterprises dropped their control as soon as they had made their fortunes?" His robust and active mind, his keen intelligence, his indomitable will, and his rugged independence

and self-reliance made him a natural leader among men. Whatever he did was done with his whole strength, and with a power peculiarly his own. He devoted his talents to the accomplishment of worthy objects; his mission was to build up and not destroy. Long Island, long the field of his labors, owes its development and growth more to him than any other. Aggressive, masterful, and fearless as he was, he also possessed the gentler traits of a genial manner, a hearty honesty, and a kindly and generous disposition, which endeared him to his associates.

Mrs. Corbin resides at 76 Park Ave., New York.

### Children:

- i. Mary, b. Sept. 6, 1855, in Davenport, Ia.; m. René Cheromet Champollion of Paris, Oct. 23, 1878, at Brooklyn, N. Y. Mary Corbin graduated at the Packer Collegiate Institute in 1872, and in 1873 visited Europe to perfect herself in French, German, and Italian. She remained for two years in those countries, becoming thoroughly proficient in the languages. She returned to the U.S. in 1875, but went abroad again the next year with other members of the family, and remained two years. After her marriage as given above she sailed, Nov. 2d, with her husband for France, where she resided. Her husband was a grandson of the eminent French scholar, Jean François Champollion, who was the first to translate the Rosetta Stone and the Egyptian hieroglyphics, and in whose honor a chair of Egyptian Antiquities was founded in the College of France by royal decree. Mrs. Champollion d. June 5, 1892, at Paris. Ch.: Jean François André Champollion, b. Sept. 20, 1880, at Paris.
- ii. ISABELLA WALLACE, b. Oct. 30, 1858, in Davenport; m. George Stephen Edgell of St. Louis, April 30, 1879, at Brooklyn. N. Y. He is connected with the Corbin Banking Co. Res. 41 E. 38th St., New York. Children:
  - 1. CORBIN EDGELL, b. Nov. 21, 1880, at St. Louis. 2. STEPHEN MAURICE EDGELL, b. Oct. 26, 1884,

at St. Louis.

- 3. George Harold Edgell, b. March 4, 1887, at St. Louis.
- iii. Anna Wheeler, b. Feb. 26, 1863, in Davenport; m. Hallett Alsop Borrowe, Nov., 1896.
- iv. Austin William, b. Aug. 26, 1870, in Brooklyn; d. March 12, 1873.
- v. Austin, Jr., b. April 12, 1873, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; graduated at Harvard, in 1896; is now carrying on his father's business at 192 Broadway, N. Y. He is vice-president of the Manhattan Beach Co.,

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president of the Rockaway Park Improvement Co., Ld., vice-president of the Atlantic Brass Co., treasurer of the New England Mortgage Security Co., director of the Coal & Iron National Bank and of the Mt. Vernon Trust Co., a member of the University Club, Lawyers' Club, The Lambs, the N. Y. Athletic Club, and the Somerset Club of Boston. Res. 76 Park Ave., New York.

364. Daniel C. Corbin (Austin, James, James, James, James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 1, 1832, at Newport, N. H.; m. Louisa Jackson.

Daniel Corbin "was educated at 'The Little Red Schoolhouse' and by the march of events." He went to Iowa at the age of nineteen and was engaged in surveying public lands for two years, in the location and purchase of the same for eastern parties for another two years, and then he went to Nebraska, where he was engaged in contracting and freighting overland government supplies for western military posts, etc. At this time he saw much of and suffered with others during the Indian troubles on the plains. In 1865 he settled at Helena, Montana, where he was engaged in merchandising and mining. In 1868 he obtained a controlling interest in the First National Bank there, was its cashier for five years, and continued to manage its affairs until 1876, when he removed to New York and associated himself with his brother Austin in building the "Manhattan Beach Railway," and the improvement of its estate upon the ocean. He became the managing director of the whole enterprise. His energy, ability, and good management made all his enterprises successful, and his strict integrity and honor win universal confidence. In 1886 he went to Cœur de Alene, Idaho, and organized the Cœur de Alene Railway & Navigation Company, establishing a line of steamers on the Cœur de Alene Lake and River, and building a line of railroad from the head of navigation into the region of the Cœur de Alene mines. He sold this line to the Northern Pacific Railway Company in 1888, and in the spring of 1889 organized the Spokane Falls & Northern Railway In that and the two following years he extended a road northward into British Columbia, 220 miles in length. He sold this line in 1898 to the Northern Pacific

Railway Co. Since that time he has not engaged in any regular business except in company with his son, building and operating a beet sugar mill. He resides at Spokane, Wash. Mrs. Corbin d. Aug., 1900.

## Children:

- i. Austin, b. Sept. 24, 1863, at Denver, Col.; m. Katherine Benham; is in the beet sugar business at Spokane, Wash. Children:
  - 1. MARY LOUISE.
  - 2. KATHERINE.
- 508. ii. Louise, b. Nov. 5, 1866, at Helena, Mont. (see later).
  iii. Mary, b. Aug. 28, 1872, at Helena, Mont.; m. 1st,
  K. K. Cutler of Spokane, Wash., and had one son,
  Corbin Cutler. She m. 2d, Edward Balgay, in
  England. Res. London, Eng.
- 365. James Corbin (Austin, James, James, James, James, Clement), b. March 24, 1838, at Newport, N. H., where he received a good common school education, and then spent several years in Iowa and Nebraska. He was a deputy U. S. marshal under President Buchanan in S. W. Iowa, and took U. S. census in Fremont Co., Iowa, in 1860. After being a salesman in Chicago in 1861, a lung trouble drove him back to New Hampshire, where he read law with Burke & Wait of Newport until 1864, when he was admitted to practice as an attorney in the supreme court of the state. But his lung difficulty led him to go to New Mexico in 1864, where he has since continuously resided, engaged in mining and real estate business.

He m. Aug. 9, 1890, Emma I. Cross, dau. of Bailey and Priscilla Gage (Clark) Cross. No children.

He now resides at Silver City, New Mexico, where he has served as mayor one term and judge of probate of the county (Grant) one term.

366. John F. Corbin (Moses, Moses, Moses, James, James, Clement), b. Dec. 11, 1851; m. Clara P. Tompkins, Feb. 1, 1871. He is a telegraph operator at Albany, N. Y., residing at 176 Western Ave. He is the proprietor of "Corbin's Indigestion Reformer," and other remedies.

### Children:

- i. WALTER B., b. March 3, 1872; m. Dora J. Potter, Sept. 18, 1893. Res. Troy, N. Y. Child: 1. MARJORIE HAZEL, b. May 3, 1894.
- CORA L., b. June 13, 1874; d. Dec. 15, 1887. ii.
- iii. EDITH M., b. May 2, 1877; res. Troy, N. Y.
- BERTHA E., b. June 10, 1880; m. Edwin C. Thorp, iv. March 10, 1901.
- LEO GRANT, b. Aug. 2, 1885; d. Dec. 26, 1887. V.
- IRENE T., b. April 5, 1894; d. July 11, 1895. vi.

367. ROXALANA CORBIN (Lucian, Rufus, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. May 18, 1840, at Dudley; m. Samuel Sumner Woodward, Nov. 24, 1858, at Webster, Mass. He was b. July 22, 1830, at Ashford, Conn. He was a member of Co. I, 15th Mass. Vols. Lived at Webster.

### Children:

- i. FRANK EDWARD WOODWARD, b. Aug. 26, 1860; d. Oct. 27, 1862.
- ii. ELLA MARIA WOODWARD, b. Oct. 12, 1863; m. Clarence C. Bartlett at Webster, Oct. 3, 1885; he was b. Aug. 23, 1863, at Webster.
- iii. EMMA LIZZIE WOODWARD, b. Oct. 17, 1866; m. Arthur Lincoln Sears, Oct. 21, 1891. He was b. at Charlton, Aug. 1, 1867.

**368.** Chester Clemens Corbin (Benjamin A., Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 25, 1841, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Augusta E. Smith, dau. of Henry and Jane (Sly) Smith of Webster, Nov. 14, 1866.

Chester C. Corbin removed to Webster with his parents in 1852, where his father transferred from Dudley the shoe factory which afterwards grew to such size and importance under the firm name "B. A. Corbin & Son." The son entered upon his business career at the age of twenty-one, as junior member of the firm. Four years later he became the managing member. His father died in 1880, but the son continued the business under the old firm name until 1902, when he sold out all but a nominal interest. He was a man of unusual business ability, equal to the management of great financial interests, with a judgment considered particularly wise and safe, and prodigiously active. Hence, as would be expected, he accumulated wealth, but his main object in life was not to make money. He realized the responsibility of men of wealth and used his money generously and wisely to do He was a leading member and supporter of the M. E. Church at Webster, in which he was a trustee, steward, and superintendent of the Sunday-school from 1861 to his death. He was a trustee of Boston University and of Wilbraham Academy at Wilbraham, Mass., where he had been a student. He was a member of the board of managers of the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church from 1889 to his death in 1903. Here his advice and judgment were greatly appreciated and relied on. gave freely of his time and wealth to all these causes. After helping earnestly to raise the \$200,000 endowment fund for Boston University, when it was finally subscribed he proposed a season of prayer and thanksgiving to God. He was elected a member of the Wesleyan Association in 1889, where he was very helpful. He was also interested in public affairs and greatly esteemed by his fellow towns-In 1881 and 1882 he was chosen as a member of the Massachusetts senate, where he represented his district with ability and dignity and made a fine record. He might have had many other political offices had he cared He was president of the First National Bank of Webster and director in many other banks and corporations in Boston and New York. He was a special member of the firm of Morse & Rogers, shoe dealers at 134-140 Duane St., New York. Mr. Morse says of him, "His was a personality that endeared him not only to the friends who had long known him, but to others whom he only casually met. With strong and decided opinions, he was able to so express them as to give no offense to those who were entirely opposed to his views. He had a wonderful ability to get and hold the esteem of those with whom he came into contact. He was a natural leader, and was a man whose influence was for the world's betterment."

During the latter part of his life he was accustomed to spend his winters in New York. During the last few years he suffered from heart trouble, which caused a partial suspension of his business activities. He died suddenly at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, March 14, 1903. His funeral was held in Webster, and was doubtless the most impressive which that town had ever seen. All

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Webster, Mass.
Died in New York City, March 14, 1908.



business was suspended during the hour of the funeral and the schools closed. The exercises were conducted by prominent clergymen of the M. E. Church and there were in attendance a very large number of Mr. Corbin's friends from out of town. There was a magnificent array of costly flowers which were afterwards, at the request of the widow, given out to friends. Thus a fitting tribute was paid to the memory of this noble man, who was esteemed and loved by so many.

Dr. Charles Parkhurst, editor of Zion's Herald, who knew both Mr. and Mrs. Corbin intimately, adds these words in regard to the latter: "No sketch does this grand, wise, and useful man anything like justice, that does not refer to the peculiar relation which always existed between his wife and himself. Their devotion to each other was ideal. To an unusual degree she was the complement and inspiration to his life. . . . The unique relation of this man and his wife to each other form, therefore, the most attractive chapter in his life."

### Children:

- i. GERTRUDE, b. Oct. 20, 1869; d. Nov. 23, 1871. Another child d. at birth.
- 369. FRED ELLSWORTH CORBIN (William, Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement) of Southbridge, b. May 18, 1861, at Dudley, on the old homestead of James Corbin. He graduated from Williams College in 1881, and was principal of Nichols Academy at Dudley from 1883-1885. In 1886 he became principal of the Southbridge (Mass.) High School, where he still is (1904).

He m. Mary Edith Cheney, dau. of W. H. H. Cheney of Southbridge, Dec. 26, 1889. She was b. March 31, 1868. Her mother's name was Mary R. Lyon. Her father was descended from Col. Thomas Cheney of Roxbury; the homestead has been in continuous possession of the Cheneys for over two hundred years.

### Children:

- i. Louise Bradford, b. June 13, 1892.
- ii. Donald Cheney, b. Dec. 31, 1898.
- 370. CHARLES MONROE CORBIN (Palmer M., James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Feb. 6, 1850; m.

Georgianna Estelle Coleman, Nov. 8, 1876, at Union, Conn. She was b. at Ashford, Conn., March 16, 1861. Resides at Wales, Mass.

### Children:

- i. ADELBERT CHARLES, b. July 26, 1877, at Union, Conn.; resides at Worcester, Mass.
- ii. MARY ESTELLA, b. Jan. 16, 1879, at Union, Conn.; m. Charles George Thompson, at Brimfield, Mass., Nov. 13, 1895. He was b. at Wales, Mass., April 25, 1867.
- iii. Elsie Irene, b. July 22, 1893, at Brimfield.
- 371. Mary Martha Corbin (Palmer M., James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1861; m. George Henry Bennett, Jan. 1, 1884, at Preston, Conn. He was b. there Feb. 26, 1855. He d. She lives in Wales, Mass.

### Children:

- i. ISABEL BENNETT, b. March 24, 1885, at Preston, Conn.; d. Aug. 24, 1885.
- ii. George Henry Bennett, Jr., b. Jan. 13, 1888, at Wales, Mass.
- 372. AGNES CARRIE CORBIN (Palmer M., James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. June 8, 1868; m. Frank Edwin Sherman, July 4, 1886, at Wales, Mass. He was b. Aug. 21, 1865, at Willington, Conn. Resides in Palmer, Mass.

### Children:

- i. CHARLES FRANKLIN SHERMAN, b. Sept. 18, 1890, at Stafford, Conn.
- ii. Agnes Ethel Sherman, b. June 3, 1894, at Palmer, Mass.
- 373. Mary Irene Corbin (George W., James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. April 23, 1845; m. 1st, Joseph Warren, b. at Bath, Me., and d. at Worcester, Mass. M. 2d, William H. Staten, b. at Webster, Mass., and d. at New York, killed in the Park Place disaster. M. 3d, Williams.

#### Children:

i. Walter Leslie Warren, b. Jan. 21, 1863, at Sutton, Mass.

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Supt. of Schools, Southbridge, Mass.

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ii. MARY ELLA WARREN, b. July 14, 1865, at Danvers, Mass.; m. at Webster, Nov. 28, 1885, Chester Franklin Upham, b. at Dudley, May 16, 1855; m. 2d, Dr. Berry.

iii. Fred Lincoln Warren, b. May 13, 1867, at Danvers, Mass.; m. Carrie Gillener, Feb. 12, 1890, at Danielson, Conn. Child: Byron Prince Warren, b. July

3, 1894.

- iv. MABEL STATEN, b. Aug. 17, 1876, at Oxford; m. William Cox (b. in England), Feb. 18, 1895, at Worcester. Ch.: Stanley Cox, b. 1898; d. 1901.
- 374. MARIA ANCELINE CORBIN (George W., James, Timothy, James, James, Clement), b. Feb. 8, 1851; m. Henry Butler at Wilbraham, Mass. He was b. there. She d. April 4, 1877, at Oxford.

#### Children:

- i. HERBERT EDWIN BUTLER. Res. Springfield, Mass.
- ii. LENA ANGELINE BUTLER.
- 375. ELIZABETH CORBIN (Alanson, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 21, 1832; m. Chauncy Hocknell, Dec. 29, 1853; d. Nov. 10, 1882, in Clayton, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. CHARLES E. HOCKNELL, m. Nellie Allen of New Haven, N. Y., Nov. 24, 1881; 3 ch. He was a graduate of the State Normal School and editor and proprietor of the Clayton Independent for some years. He d., and his widow rem. and lives in Syracuse.
- ii. FRED HOCKNELL, m. Minnie Hayes; 3 ch.; lives in Watertown, N. Y., where he is a printer and journalist.
- 376. James Henry Corbin (Alanson, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 21, 1836; m. Caroline Amelia Guiteau of Cape Vincent, N. Y., March 23, 1858. He is a market gardener near Clayton, N. Y.

- i. EMMA MAY, b. March 16, 1859, in Watertown, N. Y.; d. May 3, 1883, in Clayton.
- ii. CARRIE IDA, b. Dec. 8, 1861, in Chaumont, N. Y.
- iii. HARRY CLAY, b. Dec. 20, 1866, in Clayton; d. July 24, 1870.
- iv. HERMAN JAMES, b. July 30, 1870, in Clayton; is a tinner and plumber in Watertown, N. Y.
- v. Ernest Ward, b. April 11, 1875, in Depauville; is a confectioner.

377. Dr. Sherman Corbin (Alanson, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Oct. 7, 1838, at Corbin's Corners, Jefferson Co., N. Y.; m. Alzina Schall of Chaumont, N. Y., March 13, 1862; she was b. July 11, 1839, at St. Johnsville, N. Y., the dau. of William and Eva Schall. Dr. Sherman Corbin began the practice of medicine at Redwood, N. Y., and was eminently successful. He d. March 25, 1894, at Sterlingville, N. Y. His widow m. E. H. Gardner, Sept. 10, 1902; he d. Jan. 28, 1903. She lives in Sterlingville, N. Y.

#### Children:

- 1. WILLIAM SHERMAN, b. May 27, 1863, in Redwood, N. Y.; m. Mary E. Locklin of Champion, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1888.
- ii. Charles Burton, b. June 11, 1866, at Three Mile Bay, N. Y.; m. Ada M. Timerman of Alexandria, N. Y., June 17, 1891.
- 378. EMILY CORBIN (Alanson, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Aug. 13, 1840; m. Albert P. Soper, Dec. 26, 1867.

#### Child:

- i. Fred Albert Soper, b. Aug. 5, 1877, at Depauville, N. Y.; m. Maude Mildred Place, who was b. Aug. 18, 1876. He is a bookkeeper at Watertown, N. Y.
- 379. Rev. Soranus C. Corbin (Simeon J., Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. May 26, 1833; m. Zora E. Wood, Feb. 7, 1855; she was the dau. of Peter and Celinda Crimps and widow of Benjamin Wood. She d. Dec. 12, 1895, in Copenhagen, N. Y. Rev. S. C. Corbin had few advantages for education in his youth, but studied by himself and began preaching when but eighteen years of age. He joined the Northern New York Conference in 1855, and preached at Edwards, Natural Bridge, Macomb, South Canton, Buck's Bridge, Norfolk, Moira, Morristown, De Kalb, Black River, and Copenhagen, where his health failed in 1876, and where he now resides, loved and respected by all.

- i. OLIN SORANUS, b. July 3, 1856; d. April 16, 1856.
- ii. Charles Clayton, b. Aug. 12, 1857; d. Dec. 12, 1873.

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- iii. Zora Adelle, b. April 26, 1859; d. Sept. 16, 1876.
- iv. Stella Celinda, b. June 21, 1864; m. Charles V. Clarke of Watertown, N. Y. She is at the head of the "Estelle Clarke Co.," in the millinery business at 293 Fifth Ave., New York city. No ch.

v. LILLIE GRACE, b. July 3, 1873; m. Robert T. Clickner, May 25, 1894; d. Feb. 21, 1899. Children:

- 1. LILLIAN ESTELLE, b. Feb. 18, 1895.
- 2. GROVENE GLADYS, b. April 17, 1897.

They live with their grandfather at Copenhagen.

380. SALOMA CATHERINE CORBIN (Simeon, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. May 30, 1838; m. 1st, Warren Sanders of Natural Bridge, N. Y., March 30, 1858; he d. April 6, 1859. She m. 2d, Lloyd Smith of Clayton, N. Y., Dec. 25, 1861; he d. July 7, 1902, at Hartford, Mich., where she resides. The first four children were b. in Clayton, N. Y., and the others in Hartford, Mich.

## Children:

i. CLARA SALOMA SMITH, b. Aug. 12, 1863; m. Almond B. Emmerson, Nov. 26, 1884, in Hartford, Mich.; they live in Benton Harbor, Mich.

ii. George Lloyd Smith, b. Sept. 10, 1864; m. Tempy Wigent, Nov. 2, 1890, at Watervliet, Mich., where

they live.

iii. Burton Adelbert Smith, b. April 28, 1866; m. Sarepta Gebhart, July 4, 1889, in Mears, Mich., where they live.

iv. Cora Ella Smith, b. June 18, 1870; m. Aaron V. Gebhart, Dec. 25, 1889, in Hartford, Mich.; live at Mishawaka, Ind.

v. Fred Alfred Smith, b. May 1, 1872; m. Cynthia L. Reed, March 14, 1896; live at St. Joseph, Mich.

vi. Carrie Melissa Smith. b. May 20, 1874; m. Samuel D. Pierson, Sept. 9, 1897, in Hartford, Mich.

381. Melzar Mattison Corbin (Simeon J., Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. May 10, 1842, in Clayton, N. Y.; m. Helen H. Wright of Buck's Bridge, N. Y., Sept. 26, 1866. He was a soldier in Co. G, 106th N. Y. Regt., for three years, being in twenty-two engagements, wounded three times, and discharged as 1st sergeant. Res. Potsdam, N. Y., where he is engaged in monumental work.

#### Child:

i. Rev. Aaron Blackman, b. Sept. 27, 1872, at Buck's Bridge, N. Y.; grad. at the Potsdam Normal

School and studied at Middlebury College, Vt., but health failed. He began preaching in 1897, was ordained in 1899, and held charges at Buck's Bridge and Great Bend, Ellisburg, and now in his first year at Trenton, N. Y., in the Northern N. Y. M. E. Conference. He m. Anna G. Bell of Heuvelton, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1895. She was the dau. of Wm. Henry and Christian (Greeley) Bell, and was b. Nov. 19, 1870. Children:

1. MILDRED WRIGHT, b. June 1, 1896.

MARION BELL,

382. George Gary Corbin (Simeon, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Sept. 23, 1844, at Clayton, N. Y.; m. Mary Ethelda Blodget, dau. of Chester and Emily Blodget, of Carrollton, Mich., July 4, 1877. He was a soldier during the Civil War in Co. H, 2d N. Y. Regt. Flying Artillery, stationed most of the time near Washington. All the active service he saw was in the second battle of Manassas, when his regiment lost a considerable number, and he says, "My legs were good ones for me that time, for I never ran so in my life." After the war he was a sailor on the lakes for nine years. 1873 he located at Carrollton, Saginaw Co., Mich., where he followed the cooper's trade for twenty-three years. In 1897 they moved to Smith's Crossing, Midland Co., Mich., where he is engaged in farming.

#### Children:

GEORGE SIMEON, b. Feb. 8, 1879; m. Mary Wicks, i. dau. of Albert and Maggie Wicks of Carrollton, Mich., Sept. 16, 1902, at Midland, Mich.; is engaged in farming with his father; one ch.: Albert B., b. Sept. 17, 1903.

IRA HARRIS, b. Feb. 3, 1881; d. Aug. 21, 1882. ii.

WILLIAM CHESTER, b. Feb. 13, 1883; d. Jan. 20, 1892. iii.

BENJAMIN HARRISON, b. Dec. 30, 1888. iv.

Austin, b. and d. Feb. 22, 1892. v.

383. Byron Barney Corbin (Simeon, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement), b. Nov. 18, 1846, at Clayton, N. Y.; m. Esther Harten, dau. of James and Adaline Harten of Carrollton, Mich., April 27, 1871. He has lived since 1869 at Carrollton, Mich., where he is a cooper by trade, and where he has held several town offices.

### Children:

i. EMMA A., b. April 26, 1874; m. William Thomas of Saginaw, Mich., June 25, 1902, at Carrollton. They reside at Saginaw, where he is a fireman. One ch.: Esther Jane Thomas, b. April 3, 1903.

ii. ELLA A., b. Feb. 4, 1876; m. Fred Gensiver of Zilwaukee, Mich.. Aug. 15, 1900, at Carrollton. He is a bookkeeper at Saginaw, Mich. One ch.: Ralph

Corbin Gensiver, b. July 21, 1903.

iii. George Byron, b. Sept. 24, 1877; m. Sophie Miller of Zilwaukee, Mich., Sept. 21, 1901, at Carrollton. He is a cooper at Chicago, Ill. One ch.: Emma Louise, b. Oct. 3, 1902.

iv. RAYMOND BERNARD, b. Nov. 18, 1889.

v. MARBERY EMMA, b. July 26, 1892.

384. Samuel Merillo Corbin (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 15, 1818, at Union, Conn.; m. Ann Maria Stowell of Clarksburg, Ind., May 20, 1841. He conducted a book and stationery business at Baltimore; he d. there July 16, 1849.

#### Children:

- i. EMMA L., b. Feb. 16, 1848; d. Dec. 2, 1849.
- ii. SAMUEL P., b. Aug. 3, 1849; d. Dec. 17, 1849.
- 385. AURELIUS ORVILLE CORBIN (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 17, 1821, at Union; m. Ruth Blodgett of Union, March 20, 1848; she was b. June 17, 1825, the dau. of Willard and Elmira (Bliss) Blodgett. He lived at Springfield, Mass., where he was an architect and builder. He d. Dec., 1879.

- i. Martha Jane, b. Feb. 1, 1849.
- ii. HARRIET MARIA, b. June 17, 1854; m. Orren W. Pratt of Springfield. Ch.: Arthur Corbin Pratt.
- 509. iii. ARTHUR ORVILLE, b. March 15, 1860.
- 386. LOVICY R. CORBIN (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 16, 1823, at Union; m. Jonathan T. Cummings, son of Earl Cummings of Mansfield, Nov. 6, 1860. He was a stone mason. He d. March 5, 1899, at Staffordville, where his widow now resides. No children.
- 387. CHARLES AUGUSTUS CORBIN (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 16, 1824, at

Union, Conn.; m. Lovisa Lawson, Jan. 17, 1849; she was b. Dec. 9, 1826, the dau. of Dea. Paul and Lydia (Holman) Lawson of Union. They lived first at East Hartford, then at Vernon, Conn., and for many years at Wilbraham, Mass., in which places he was engaged in farming. In 1894 he retired from his farm and went to Springfield, Mass., where he d. Nov. 5, 1894, a true, faithful, and most excellent man. Mrs. Corbin and her youngest daughter now live at 25 Vassar St., Springfield, Mass.

#### Children:

- i. Frederick Charles, b. March 22, 1850; d. Nov. 1. 1854.
- ii. ALICE MARILLA, b. July 13, 1852; grad. from the Wesleyan Academy at Wilbraham, and was a successful teacher for several years; m. James Dyson. July 23, 1880, at Alamosa, Col. They reside at Silverton, Col., where he is a civil engineer. Children:
  - 1. ARTHUR DYSON, d. young.
  - 2. Edith Marilla Dyson. b. June 14, 1885.
  - 3. EDGAR JAMES DYSON, b. June 22, 1888.
- iii. EMMA MINERVA. b. Oct. 29, 1855; m. James F. Phelps of Wilbraham, Mass., March 18, 1874; they lived at Wilbraham, where he was engaged in farming. She d. Feb. 13, 1898, at Asheville, N. C., where she had gone for her health. Children:
  - 1. FREDERICK CORBIN PHELPS, b. Sept. 26, 1875: m. Susie Caswell of Ludlow, Mass., Jan. 1, 1902. Ch.: Gladys Louise Phelps, b. Nov., 1903.
    - 2. George Clinton Phelps, b. Aug. 12, 1879.
- 3. ARTHUR EDWARD PHELPS, b. Jan. 30, 1885.
  iv. Harriet Louise, b. May 16, 1860; d. Jan. 20, 1861.
  v. Elizabeth Charlotte, b. July 9, 1862; m. Edward
  E. Chapman, Dec. 6, 1883, at Wilbraham; he is a

farmer at Ludlow, Mass. Children:

- 1. CHARLES EARL CHAPMAN, b. Sept. 11, 1886.
- 2. Myron Edward Chapman, b. June 9, 1890.
- 3. ISABELLE LOUISE CHAPMAN, b. Aug. 8, 1892.
- vi. EDITH LOUISE, b. Oct. 29, 1864; m. Elihu Thomas Hunt of Agawam, Mass.. May 15, 1895, at Springfield; they live at Westfield. Mass., where he is engaged in farming. Child:
  - 1. Grace Louise Hunt, b. Aug. 19, 1902.
- vii. Annie Lavinia, b. June 15, 1868; m. Otis Dana Pomeroy of Springfield. June 15, 1889, at Wilbraham; he d. April 2, 1897.
- 388. Philo Roderick Corbin (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 25, 1827, or

1828; m. Emily P. Converse of Stafford, May 14, 1855. She was dau. of Samuel and Anna (Eaton) Converse of Stafford. They lived at Galesburg, Ill., where he is a carpenter and builder. He d. July 14, 1880.

## Children:

- i. JENNIE SMITH, b. March 31, 1856; she is a teacher in the public schools in Galesburg, Ill.
- ii. ARTHUR MILTON, b. Feb. 19, 1860; m. Bessie Muzzy of Elkhart, Ind., 1890. He grad. from the Northwestern Dental College, Chicago; is a dentist at Galesburg. Ill.
- iii. Albert Samuel, b. May 3, 1869.
- iv. MABEL LAVONNE, b. Feb. 4, 1873. Grad. of Knox College, Galesburg. Residence Salt Lake City. Utah. She is a teacher of English in the high school there.
- 389. Henry Fielder Corbin (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 27, 1829; m. Philanda Whipple Buck of Pomfret, Conn., Nov. 8, 1853. She was b. Jan. 2, 1831, the dau. of Aaron and Mercy (Sprague) Buck. He has always lived in Union, where he is a farmer and a worthy and esteemed citizen. He has been selectman, assessor, etc., and represented the town in the state legislature in 1867 and 1897. Both he and his wife have been prominent members of the Grange.

#### Children:

- 510. i. EDWARD MORILLO, b. Aug. 5, 1854.
- 511. ii. ELLA MARIA, b. Oct. 27, 1861.
- 390. CHARLOTTE JULIETTE CORBIN (Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 3, 1834; m. Isaac Johnson, Oct. 28, 1857. They lived at Woodstock, Conn., but now reside at Corning, Tehama Co., Cal.

- i. Anna Corbin Johnson, b. March 30, 1859; d. Oct. 26, 1863.
- ii. Frank Waldo Johnson, b. Feb. 20, 1861; m. Emma S. Reed, June 27, 1882; m. 2d. Minnie R. Williams, June 12, 1889. Children:
  - 1. RALPH A. JOHNSON, b. July 9, 1884; d. April 22, 1886.
  - 2. Marjorie Ruth Johnson, b. Feb. 27, 1892.
- iii. Charlotte Elizabeth Johnson, b. Feb. 1, 1863.
- iv. Lewis Henry Johnson, b. Sept. 9, 1866; d. July 2, 1869.

391. HEZEKIAH HEALY CORBIN (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 29, 1821, at Union, Conn. Soon after his birth his parents removed to Willington, and later to West Hartford, Conn. He went to New Britain soon after his younger brothers, Philip and Frank, established themselves there, and was for a time with them, and later with Landers, Frary & Clark.

In 1866 he entered into partnership with T. W. Loomis in the manufacture of paper boxes. After about a year he started a factory of his own, with his son, Frank E. Corbin, under the name, "H. H. Corbin & Son." In 1872 the main shop was built, and in 1880 a large addition was erected. In 1890 his other son, Willis P. Corbin, became a member of the firm in place of Frank E. By steady application, shrewdness, and fair dealing he built up a good business. He was a leader in the Adventist Church.

He m. Maria A. Ryder, Feb. 16, 1844, at Willington. She was b. in Westford, Jan. 9, 1825, the dau. of Byas and Abigail (Eldridge) Ryder. He d. Nov. 6, 1897. She d. May 1, 1905.

#### Children:

- i. MARY JANE, b. June 13, 1845, at Willington; m. Wilbur F. Rogers. Ch.: Burton, m. Minnie Lawton; Zula. Res. Meriden, Conn.
- 512. ii. Frank Eugene, b. Dec. 13, 1849, at Hartford.
- iii. Homer Montross, b. Aug. 13, 1852; d. Oct. 12, 1853. 513. iv. Willis Philip, b. Feb. 20, 1856, at New Britain.
- 392. Waldo Corbin (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 26, 1823, at Union, Conn.; m. Emily Matilda Curtis, April 27, 1852. She was b. March 2, 1825, and d. April 5, 1903. Waldo Corbin went to California in '49, but returned in 1851 and became a partner with P. & F. Corbin in 1853, remaining with the firm until his death. He was a prominent member and worker in the Methodist Church in New Britain. He d. Feb. 9, 1872.

- 514. i. WILLIAM HUBBARD, b. Jan. 15, 1857.
- 515. ii. George Waldo, b. March 4, 1859.
  - iii. Edward Curtis, b. Sept. 11, 1861; d. Oct. 19, 1896.
  - iv. Adele Mary, b. Jan. 23, 1864.
- 516. v. Albert F., b. April 8, 1866.

Hon. Philip Corbin of New Britain, Conn. **393.** (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 26, 1824, at Willington, Conn. His father removed in 1833 to West Hartford, where he settled on a farm. In the labor incident to its management, Philip and his brothers all developed wonderfully vigorous physical frames, and acquired habits of industry and self-reliance which went far towards taking the place of the higher schooling from which they were in a measure debarred by their parents' limited means. Philip, however, after attending the district schools, had the advantage of a term and a half at the West Hartford Academy, and at the age of tifteen, when he took up farm work, was a well informed and promising lad. Strong, active, and willing, he did a man's work and earned a man's wages, which he turned over to his father for the family's support. Finding himself possessed of decided mechanical tastes, he quitted farm work when nineteen years of age and, in March, 1844, went to New Britain, Conn., where he secured employment with Russell & Erwin, and later in the lock shop of North & Stanley. He had not been thus employed a year before he felt sufficient confidence in his skill to bid for a contract on his own account. Filling it to the satisfaction of those with whom it was made, he took another contract, and, calling in his younger brother Frank to his aid, made him his partner. From the profits of the venture they deducted merely enough for their expenses, paying the surplus loyally to their father. In 1849, P. & F. Corbin, in partnership with Edward Doen, as Doen, Corbin & Co., built a small shop, put in machinery, and, working by horse power (steam power then having been introduced only on a limited scale), and on a joint capital of less than a thousand dollars, launched themselves as manufacturers.

Their first aim was to make articles not made by others, in competition with European firms. They began with oxballs, for tipping the horns of cattle, window-springs, lamphooks, etc., and changed to other products when competition produced what they had made. The success of the enterprise was so immediate — the brothers being skillful and earnest workmen, who did most of the manual labor themselves — that they soon drew three of their younger

brothers, William (died 1860), Andrew, and George S. (died 1899), into the business, giving each in turn a share in its management. In 1853 the firm was reorganized as a joint stock company, the style "P. & F. Corbin" being From their original productions they soon branched out into the manufacture of certain kinds of locks, bolts, hinges, latches, and general builders' hardware. Plain and low-priced goods were made at first, but in 1868 new fields were entered upon, and the company turned out more ornamental goods than any other manufacturers then made. P. & F. Corbin was the first company to use the bronzing process patented by Hiram Tucker of Boston. The articles, styles, and designs made have been innumerable, and the quantities vast and increasing annually. The company has supplied bronze hardware for the State, War, and Navy buildings at Washington, D. C., the post-office and sub-treasury at Boston, and many other public buildings, and for many great office and business structures everywhere, including many large banks and insurance buildings, and for the fine State Capitol at Hartford. When the brothers began as employers of labor they had one workman in their pay. years past they have had upwards of 1,800 on their payroll, this number including a large corps of inventors, artists, designers, and pattern-makers, in addition to the other skilled hands. The works and main offices of the company are at New Britain, Conn., and constitute an important feature of that thriving center. Many large buildings make up the works, which cover several acres. Stores with full stocks of the firm's products are maintained also at New York city, Chicago, and Philadelphia. The catalogue and price list of the company's productions takes the form of a beautifully illustrated bound volume of about 800 pages, which is sent to all parts of the world.

In a degree probably ahead of any other manufacturing concern, this company goes into the finer quality of goods, and the excellence and artistic quality of these is not surpassed in any country. In 1882 the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co. was organized for the manufacture of cabinet locks, cabinet and miscellaneous hardware. Of this corporation also Mr. Philip Corbin is president and treasurer. From the inception of the business Mr. Philip Corbin has been

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the prime factor in its conduct and development, and today, although seventy-nine years of age, he directs its vast operations with the vigor, sagacity, keenness of oversight, and executive ability of a man of sixty or less. Still a man of vigorous frame, excellent health, and quick mental perceptions, his appearance, energy, and decision are a marvel and belie his years. From time to time he has added to his multifarious duties in other directions those attaching to the office of president of the New Britain Machine Co. Another offspring of the great Corbin enterprises is the recently organized Corbin Screw Corporation. It was formed by a union of the screw departments of the Russell & Erwin Co. and of the P. & F. Corbin Co.

Mr. Corbin's close attention to business has not kept him from taking an active part in city and state affairs. served as warden of the borough before its incorporation, and as a member of the common council subsequently. He was water commissioner of the city for many years and the addition of the city water works was largely supervised by him. As a Republican he was elected to the legislature of 1884, and served as chairman of the committee of insurance. The knowledge and skill which he possesses in mechanical matters, and the habit of inspection and criticism, have been of vast service to him in public life, enabling him to get at and comprehend the technical merits of all measures submitted. In 1888 he was elected state senator, the interests of the district demanding that he should accept the office. He discharged the duties laid upon him with exceptional zeal and ability, proving himself one of the most conscientious and industrious members of the legislature.

Mr. Corbin is a man of singular plainness, of directness of manner, of remarkable simplicity, sincerity, and frankness. His natural ability is self-evident, and impresses the observer at once. Strong, fearless, and broadminded, his democratic style sits well upon his massive frame, and becomes his simplicity of life and speech. There is a sincere cordiality underlying his character which unmistakably attracts and attaches to him hosts of friends. A noble product of the plain manly and industrious life of New England, he is a credit to his forbears

as well as to the institutions of the country and era, and an honor to the business element of America.

He married Francina T. Whiting of New Britain, June 21, 1848. She was b. Sept. 3, 1827, the daughter of Henry W. Whiting.

## Children:

- i. Charles Frank, b. Sept. 26, 1855; m. Lillian Ursula Blakeslee, Oct. 18, 1882. She was b. April 7, 1864. Children:
  - MINNIE, b. Sept. 25, 1883.
     PHILIP, b. Nov. 24, 1884.
- ii. Nellie Louise (adopted), b. July 8, 1867; m. William Beers of New Britain, Oct. 26, 1892. Child: 1. Francina Corbin Beers, b. March 12, 1897.
- 394. FRANK CORBIN (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 26, 1828, in Willington; m. Mary A. Beckley, April 22, 1852. She was b. June 6, 1833, and d. Nov. 3, 1901.

He began in 1848, with his older brother Philip, the hardware manufacturing business in New Britain which afterwards developed into such great proportions, under the firm name of P. & F. Corbin. (See the souvenir volume of P. & F. Corbin, published in February, 1904.) After 1853 Frank Corbin spent much time on the road as selling agent. He had charge of the New York sales office. In 1860 he gave up his connection with the company to embark in the plumbers' supply business. went west about 1883 and devoted his attention to the development of mines in Arizona and California during the rest of his life, crossing the continent nine times during that period. He d. at Sonora, Cal., March 3, 1901. He was a man of generous impulses, making friends wherever he went. The cordiality of his manner and his genial nature made him loved by his employees and business acquaintances and welcomed wherever he went.

#### Children:

i. • CLARA, b. Nov. 5, 1857; m. Fred C. Wilson, Jan. 14, 1881; he was b. July 3, 1856. She is a member of the D. A. R. (7684), a musician and elocutionist, residing at 91 Vine St., Hartford. Child:

1. HOWARD CORBIN WILSON, b. June 21, 1882; is

with the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co.

ii. Howard, b. June 21, 1858; m. Nellie Peirson, June 20, 1882; she was b. June 6, 1854; he d. April 26, 1893.

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395. Andrew Corbin (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 10, 1833, at W. Hartford; m. Mary J. Moore, Nov. 8, 1854; she was b. Feb. 27, 1835.

He entered the business of P. & F. Corbin in 1858, and has since been connected with it. In 1860, on the with-'drawal of his brother Frank, he went to New York to take charge of the office there for a time. Mr. Andrew Corbin is known throughout the length and breadth of the land as one of the clearest thinkers in the active American business world, and in no small part is the success of P. & F. Corbin due to his indefatigable industry, his mechanical genius, and his unerring judgment and foresight in the conduct of the affairs of the company. For over forty years he was closely identified with the management, and gave his untiring energies, loyal support, and wise counsels, which aided largely in bringing the standard of the company to its present high rank. Of an artistic temperament, he was always ready with new ideas for the improvement of the goods to be manufactured. Owing to continued ill health he has been obliged since 1903 to relinquish all active service in connection with the company.

Mr. Corbin is a man of rare ability, generous and kind to every one, yet so modest that the public has not known of his many benefactions. Res. New Britain, Conn.

#### Child:

- i. ESTELLE STANLEY, b. March 24, 1858; m. Charles E. Wetmore, Nov. 10, 1880; he was b. Sept. 30, 1855. She is a D. A. R. (6692). He is connected with the firm of P. & F. Corbin as treasurer. Res. New Britain, Conn. Children:
  - 1. LILIAN ALICE WETMORE, b. Sept. 21, 1881.
  - 2. GERTRUDE WETMORE, b. Aug. 24, 1884.
  - 3. Andrew Corbin Wetmore, b. Nov. 24, 1889.
  - 4. MARGARET SEYMOUR WETMORE, b. Nov. 11, 1891.
    - 5. Mary Estelle Wetmore, b. Aug. 15, 1897.
- 396. George S. Corbin (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 27, 1836, in W. Hartford; m. Clara Greenleaf, Oct. 17, 1861; she was b. Oct. 18, 1840, and d. Dec. 28, 1878. He d. Jan. 8, 1899, at

Philadelphia. He was connected with the firm of P. & F. Corbin from his youth to his death.

#### Children:

- i. Mary Greenleaf, b. Aug. 29, 1862. Res. 1314 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa.
- ii. Robie Jeannette, b. Dec. 25, 1865; d. Oct. 14, 1889.
- 397. Elbert Augustus Corbin (Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 17, 1843, in W. Hartford; m. Charlotte P. Eckfaldt, Jan. 13, 1876; she was b. Sept. 25, 1850. Res. Philadelphia, Pa. (Hotel Bartram, 33d St. and Chestnut St.).

- i. ELBERT AUGUSTUS, Jr., b. Aug. 26, 1877. Res. 165 St. Charles Place, Atlantic City, N. J.
- ii. ARTHUR ECKFALDT, b. Sept. 19, 1879. Res. 332 Main St., Springfield, Mass.
- 398. Lucy Rhoby Corbin (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 2, 1828; m. Philip Foster Gage of Woodstock, son of Rev. Leonard Gage, Aug. 31, 1853, at Union; he d. at Woodstock, Oct. 19, 1857. She m. 2d, Eleazar Byron Foster of Union, Sept. 14, 1862; he was b. May 24, 1824, the son of William and Keziah (Mason) Foster of Union. He was a sergeant in Co. G, 22d Regt. Conn. Vols., and d. of fever at Trinity Church Hospital in Washington, D. C., Nov. 14, 1862. She made her home for the remainder of her life at Brimfield, Mass., where she d. March 9, 1897, and was buried at Union, Conn. She was an excellent woman, always ready to help those in need.
- 399. Nancy Deliza Corbin (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 19, 1829, at Union, Conn.; m. Edwin Windsor Upham of Union, Nov. 12, 1848. He was the son of Ichabod Town and Abigail (Copeland) Upham, and was b. May 3, 1823. He enlisted in Co. G, 22d Regt. Conn. Vols., and served as corporal during the nine months from Sept., 1862, to July 7, 1863. They lived for many years in the western part of Union, but moved in 1881 to Union Center, where he built a fine, large house. There they have kept the post-office for many

ANDREW CORBIN, New Britain, Conn.



years and also the town library since its origin in 1895, and their hospitable home also serves as hotel for those who need such an accommodation at Union. Mr. Upham has held many town offices, and was in the state legislature of 1889. He belongs to and is chaplain of the local G. A. R. post, and both he and his family have been earnest workers for the good of the town, in church, grange, agricultural society, and in other ways. Mrs. Upham d. of pneumonia, Jan. 29, 1905.

#### Child:

i. Francis Leroy Upham, b. April 30, 1853; m. Ella Adelaide Colburn, dau. of George D. and Elizabeth (Wallace) Colburn, April 12, 1875. She was b. May 8, 1848. They live in the western part of Union. He is a prominent citizen of the town, and has held many offices. No ch.

ii. LIZZIE ABBIE UPHAM, b. April 21, 1861; m. Willard Richards, Jan. 1, 1897. He was the son of Asa Richards, and was b. at Dudley, Mass., March 18, 1849. They live with her father at Union, where

she attends to the post-office.

400. Mary Minerva Corbin (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, ('lement'), b. Oct. 29, 1831, at Union; m. Lucius Agard, Feb. 13, 1854; he was the son of Benjamin Agard of Staffordville, Conn. They have lived at Brimfield, Mass., since 1868.

#### Children:

i. EMMA MARY AGARD. b. March 12, 1857, at Union; m. Arthur B. Brown, son of James Henry Brown of Brimfield. Feb. 15, 1888. They live at Brimfield.

ii. GEORGE LUCIUS AGARD, b. Feb. 7, 1859, at Union; m. Alice L. Rindge of Union, Dec. 24, 1894; she was the dau. of Thomas and Mary Ann (Sessions) Rindge, and was b. Aug. 2, 1857.

iii. Lilla Nancy Agard, b. Jan. 4, 1867, at Union; m. Charles A. Webber, son of James Webber, of Holland, Mass.. Nov. 27, 1889. They live at Holland. One ch.: Gladys, b. Jan. 5, 1893.

401. Rebecca Corbin (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 23, 1834, at Union, Conn.; m. Stephen Agard, son of Benjamin, Oct. 23, 1856. They lived first at Union, then at Holland, Mass., after 1867. He d. Sept. 6, 1884, after which his family lived at Brimfield.

#### Children:

i. Orlo Foster Agard, b. Sept. 17, 1861; d. Oct. 13, 1863.

ii. ELLA LUCY AGARD, b. Oct. 8, 1864; m. William A. Webber, son of James. June 17, 1885; she d. Jan.

25, 1889; no ch.

- iii. IDA REBECCA AGARD, b. March 29, 1870; grad. from the Hitchcock Free High School at Brimfield, in 1888; m. Rev. George Furness, Sept. 22, 1897. He was the son of James Robert and Orpha (Gray) Furness, and was b. at Sutton, Vt., Nov. 10, 1869. He graduated in 1897 from the Boston Evangelical Institute, and was ordained as a Congregational minister May 5, 1898; has had pastorates at Wardsboro, W. Newbury, and East Arlington, Vt. Child:
  - 1. EVELYN FURNESS, b. July, 1898, at Wardsboro, Vt.
- iv. Flora Nancy Agard, b. Feb. 10, 1873; grad. from the High School at Brimfield; m. Thomas J. Pardee, Dec. 18, 1901, at Brimfield; d. July 7, 1903, at Norwich, Conn., and was buried at Brimfield. Child:
  - 1. RAYMOND CORBIN PARDEE, b. May 1, 1903, at Norwich, Conn.

402. ELVIRA CORBIN (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 14, 1838, at Union, Conn.; she was educated at Mt. Holyoke Seminary; m. Rev. George Curtiss, Jan. 13, 1864. He was the son of Rev. Samuel Ives and Rebecca (Tuttle) Curtiss, and was b. Jan. 5, 1837, at East Hampton, Conn. When he was three years old his father moved to Union, Conn., and became pastor of the Congregational Church there, continuing in that office for thirty-five years, from 1840 to 1875. He died there March 26, 1880. George Curtiss graduated from Amherst College in 1860 and pursued his theological studies at the East Windsor (now Hartford) Seminary and the Andover Seminary. He held pastorates at East Avon, Harwinton, Union, and Hartford, Conn., and at Mayville, N. D. He acted once more as pastor of the church at Union in 1903-4, and is now assistant pastor at Kent, Conn.

Elvira C. Curtiss died at Harwinton April 17, 1875. She was a very estimable woman, greatly beloved in all the places where she lived, an ideal mother, and an invaluable helpmeet to her husband. After her death Mr. Curtiss married again, Mrs. Phebe M. Bishop of New Haven,

March 8, 1877; she d. at Amherst, Mass., June 27, 1877. He married 3d, Martha A. Blakely of Bristol, Conn., Sept. 15, 1880. She d. at Hartford, Dec. 24, 1888, and was buried at Amherst, Mass., where all the other deceased members of the family are buried.

Mr. Curtiss received the degree of D.D. from Fargo College in 1899.

- i. ELSIE ANNE CURTISS, b. Sept. 29, 1865, at Avon, Conn.; grad. with honor from the Hartford High School in 1885, and from Oberlin College in 1889 with the degree of A.B.; m. Rev. Herbert K. Job, Sept. 10, 1891, at Mayville, N. Dakota. He was b. Nov. 29, 1864, in Boston, being the son of Daniel W. and Susan G. (Adams) Job. He graduated from Boston Latin School in 1884, Harvard University in 1888, and Hartford Theol. Seminary in 1891. He was pastor of the Congregational Church at N. Middleboro, Mass., from Oct. 1891, to Nov., 1898, and since Dec., 1898, has been pastor at Kent, Conn. He is a talented naturalist in the study of birds, a member of the American Ornithologists' Union, author of "Among the Water Fowl" and various magazine articles, and a lecturer on birds. Children:
  - 1. GEORGE CURTISS JOB, b. June 3, 1892, at North Middleboro.
  - 2. AMY BEATRICE JOB, b. Feb. 16, 1894; d. Sept. 4, 1897.
  - 3. Miriam Marguerite Job, b. April 15, 1897; d. Feb. 22, 1898.
  - 4. ELSIE IRENE JOB, b. March 31, 1899; d. April 4, 1899.
  - 5. KATHERINE JOB, b. March 16, 1900; d. March 23, 1900.
  - 6. Percival Job, b. Nov. 20, 1902; d. Nov. 25, 1902.
- ii. GEORGE CORBIN CURTISS, b. June 19, 1868; d. Nov. 28, 1876, at Harwinton, Ct.
- iii. MARY REBECCA CURTIS, b. June 9, 1873, at Harwinton; grad. from Fargo College in 1896, with the degree of A.B.; d. Jan. 10, 1901, at Hartford, Conn.
- iv. John Hough Curtiss, b. March 30, 1875; d. June 24, 1877, at Amherst, Mass.
  - (One child of the last marriage: Martha Elvira Curtiss, b. July 25, 1881, at Hartford, and d. there Jan. 26, 1882.)
- 403. MINER HEALY CORBIN (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, (Ilement), b. Dec. 27, 1840, at Union, Conn. He was educated at the common and select schools of Union, and taught several terms. He enlisted in Co. G,

22d Regt. Conn. Vols. (under Capt. David Corbin), and served from Sept. 5, 1862, to July 7, 1863...

He m. 1st, Jane Betsev Dimmock, March 24, 1868, at Avon, Conn. She was b. at W. Stafford, Jan. 1, 1849; she was the dau. of Orlo Dimmock; she d. July 2, 1880, at Brimfield, Mass. He m. 2d, Sarah Billings Brown, June 2, 1881, at Brimfield. She was the dau. of James Henry and Ann (Holbrook) Brown, and was b. March 20, 1851. He resided at Brimfield, about two miles south of the village, from 1868 until 1898, when he removed to Brimfield village. He is a deacon and faithful member of the Congregational Church and a highly esteemed citizen of Brimfield. He is a member and chaplain of the J. Arthur Johnson Post, 173, G. A. R., of Sturbridge, Mass., also a vice-president and director of the Savings Bank of Wales, Mass. He has been town clerk and treasurer for a year by appointment of the governor, and justice of the peace for seven years.

#### Children of 1st wife:

i. MINNIE JANE, b. Nov. 26, 1871; grad. from Hitchcock Free High School at Brimfield, in 1889; taught for nearly ten years; m. William Andrew Royce, son of Andrew and Eleen (McFarland) Royce, March 1, 1899, at Palmer, Mass. Child:

1. Andrew William Royce, b. April 7, 1901, at Staffordville, Conn.

ii. HERBERT MINER, b. June 2, 1873; grad. from the Hitchcock Free High School in 1895; m. Chella Davis, dau. of Arthur and Fannie Davis, June 25, 1901, at Somers. Conn. He lives at Springfield, Mass., and is a window decorator.

iii. ARTHUR, b. Dec. 2, 1875; d. Dec. 3, 1875.

#### Children of 2d wife:

- iv. Walter Everett, b. Oct. 28, 1885; grad. at Hitch-cock Free Academy, 1903.
- v. ERFORD HEALY, b. Feb. 26, 1889.

404. Joseph Corbin (John, John, John, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 3, 1837; m. Polly Tillotson, Jan. 1, 1862; she was b. Dec. 22, 1836, at Smithville, N. Y., the dau. of Orrin and Tabithy Tillotson. They lived at Smithville, where the children were born. He d. May 17, 1897.

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#### Children:

i. Josephine, b. Oct. 2, 1862; m. Frank Dibble, Oct. 22, 1882; he was b. Feb. 8, 1863, in Smithville, the son of John and Milly Dibble.

ii. John T., b. Oct. 4, 1868; m. Mary E. Johnson, March 7, 1893; she was the dau. of John and Lydia Johnson of Exline, Ill. They now live at Greene, N. Y.

Child:
1. Wheeler J., b. Aug. 15, 1896.

405. Francis Henry Howard Corbin (Henry, Howard, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. July 14, 1828, near Rochester, N. Y.; m. Eliza Belle Freeman, June 6, 1853, at Orangeport, Niagara Co., N. Y. She was b. there Oct. 6, 1833, the dau. of William Freeman. He d. Aug. 6, 1893, at Wymore, Gage Co., Neb.

#### Children:

i. WILLIAM HENRY HOWARD, b. April 20, 1854, at Batavia, N. Y.; res. Wymore, Neb.; unm.

ii. Frank Mann, b. Jan. 5, 1856, at Batavia; m. an

English lady, and lives in Chicago.

iii. Mary Elizabeth, b. Dec. 23, 1861, at Orangeport, N. Y.; m. Harland S. Carr, Nov. 25, 1885, at Wymore, Neb.; he d. Sept. 10, 1888. She m. 2d, William F. Needham of Tecumseh, Neb., Dec. 1, 1890, at Wymore. Res. at Lincoln, Neb. Three ch.

iv. Ada Eliza Beile, b. Nov. 20, 1863, at Orangeport, N. Y.; m. John A. Elam of Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 10,

1891, at Wymore. Res. Lincoln, Neb.

v. Fred Albert Hayes, b. July 18, 1876, at Rochelle, Ill.; m. Ethel N. Franksberger of Sterling, Neb., Nov. 6, 1898, at Lincoln, Neb. Res. St. Joseph, Mo.

406. Martin L. Corbin (Henry Howard, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. June 21, 1830, at Gates, Monroe, Co., N. Y.; m. 1st, Frances Lamburton in 1853; she d. April 16, 1859. He m. 2d, Martha Lowell, dau. of Josiah and Joanna Lowell, Jan. 29, 1860, at Watertown, Mich. She was b. Sept. 2, 1828, at Essex Co., N. Y.

#### Children:

i. Fred L., b. Sept. 10, 1856; m. Mary Hisee, Feb. 22, 1879, at Wacousta, Mich.; she d. Dec. 28, 1879; he m. 2d, Hattie Boylan, dau. of Wm. and Fannie Boylan, Jan. 1, 1883. She was b. July 11, 1856, at Ann Arbor, Mich. Children:

1. MILLIE E., b. Dec. 28, 1879.

- 2. BERNICE, b. March 30, 1884.
- 3. FRANCES, b. Oct. 16, 1887.
- 4. RALPH, b. Jan. 14, 1889.
- ii. Mamie F., b. Jan. 6, 1861.
- iii. FRANK H., b. Nov. 8, 1863; d. Nov. 6, 1865.
- iv. HARRY L., b. June 20, 1865; d. Aug. 4, 1865.
- v. Clara, b. July 29, 1866; m. John W. Hunter, Oct. 1, 1885; he was b. April 19, 1864, in Schuyler Co., N. Y., the son of Harrison and Huldah Hunter. Children:
  - 1. GRACE R. HUNTER, b. June 16, 1887.
  - 2. LUCILE H. HUNTER, b. Feb. 17, 1890.
  - 3. JESSIE M. HUNTER, b. Jan. 16, 1893.
  - 4. KATE HUNTER, b. Aug. 24, 1889; d. Sept. 25, 1900.
- vi. HATTIE J., b. Jan. 6, 1870; grad. from State Normal College at Ypsilanti, Mich., June, 1890.
- 407. Martha A. Corbin (Henry Howard, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 26, 1836, at Gates, near Rochester, N. Y.; m. 1st, Theodore Bascom of Leroy, Genesee Co., N. Y., May 3, 1853. He d. March 8, 1860. She m. 2d, Zenas H. Culver of Okemos, Ingham Co., Mich., April 1, 1864. She now resides at Okemos. He d. Dec. 13, 1887.

#### Children of 1st husband:

- i. Charles H. Bascom, b. Oct. 16, 1855, at Leroy, N. Y.; lives at Tacoma, Wash.
- ii. HATTIE E. BASCOM, b. June 6, 1858, at Leroy; d. Jan. 10, 1874.

#### Children of 2d husband:

- iii. WILLIAM A. CULVER, b. Aug. 25, 1865; m. Adell Burtraw of Okemos, where they live, April 24, 1889. Children:
  - 1. GLEN A. CULVER, b. May 15, 1895.
  - 2. ADELL CULVER, b. June 5, 1898.
- iv. Addie M. Culver, b. Nov. 27, 1871; m. Frank A. Gibson, April 24, 1889; they reside at Lansing, Mich. Children:
  - 1. WALTER A. GIBSON, b. Aug. 31, 1892.
  - 2. ALLAN C. GIBSON, b. June 23, 1896.
- 408. John Newton Corbin (Henry Howard, Penuel, William, Philip, James, ('lement), b. in 1848 at Royalton, N. Y.; m. Adelaide Louise Prentice in 1876 at Lawrence, Kansas. Res. Newton, Kansas.

# Children b. at Lawrence, Kan.

- i. Elsie Vernon, lives at La Junta, Col.
- ii. ADELAIDE LOUISE, m. Peter Livingstone Williamson,

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June 16, 1903, at Newton, Kan.; one ch.: Adelaide, Louise, Res. Ft. Worth, Texas.

- iii. HENRY HOWARD, lives at Newton, Kan.
- iv. OLIVE ELIZABETH, lives at La Junta, Col.
- 409. Lucius Anson Corbin (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement) of Union, Conn., b. Feb. 13, 1829, at Woodstock; m. Almira Sophia Chamberlain, dau. of Benjamin and Almira (Bugbee) Chamberlain, Dec. 17, 1856. She was b. July 12, 1837, and d. June 13, 1894. She was a most estimable woman, always kind, sympathetic and helpful. Lucius Anson Corbin settled in 1858 on a farm in the eastern part of Union, near his father's in Woodstock. He is a highly esteemed and trusted citizen of Union, and has held many town offices, being selectman for fifteen years. He joined the Methodist Episcopal Church at Mashapaug on its organization in 1867, and has since been a valued member and officer. He sold his place in the east of Union in 1904 and has since resided with his dau. Bertha.

- i. Bertha Lillian, b. Aug. 18, 1864; m. Robert E. Webster of Union, April 15, 1886. He was son of George A. Webster, and was b. Sept. 19, 1861. They reside in Union. where he is a farmer, and has held several town offices; both are valued members of the M. E. Church at Mashapaug.
- ii. ERNEST ELBERT, b. April 2, 1872; m. Martha Josephine Kinney, dau. of Milton H. and Martha (Moore) Kinney, June 15, 1898; she was b. Dec. 26, 1876, at Union. Her grandmother Moore, was Anna Corbin (David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). They now reside in Southbridge, where he is a foreman with the Hamilton Woolen Co. Children:
  - 1. ALTA ALMIRA, b. April 26, 1899.
  - 2. MILTON KINNEY, b. July 6, 1902.
  - 3. Anson Ernest, b. Sept. 5, 1904.
- 410. Mary Jane Corbin (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 14, 1831, at Woodstock; m. Myron Kinney, son of Nathan and Lucy (Wales) Kinney of Union, Jan. 5, 1864. He was b. Feb. 24, 1833. He lived in Union until 1878, where he had a sawmill and a box-shop and carried on an extensive lumber business. In that year he moved to Putnam, Conn., where he established a lumber yard, which business he and his son Elbert

still carry on. While in Union he was a deacon of the Congregational Church for fourteen years, and has since held that office in Putnam ten years. He is one of those quiet, reliable, and solid men who form the backbone of the community.

## Children:

i. Mary L. Kinney, b. March 3, 1865; d. March 6, 1865. ii. Emma Jane Kinney, b. March 21, 1866; graduated

from the Putnam High School in 1886, and from the State Normal School at New Britain in 1890. She was a successful teacher for several years, and

is now librarian of the Putnam Public Library. iii. ELLEN LUCY KINNEY, b. March 29, 1868; graduated from the Putnam High School in 1886, and from the State Normal School at New Britain in 1890. After teaching several terms, she took a year of study at Oberlin, in 1893 and 1894. She m. Rev. Willard L. Beard of Shelton, Conn., Sept. 5, 1894. He was b. Feb. 5, 1865, the son of Oliver Gould and Nancy Maria (Nichols) Beard of Shelton. He grad, in 1887 from the Derby High School, in 1891 from Oberlin College, and in 1894 from the Hartford Theological Seminary. He was ordained as a foreign missionary at Huntington, Conn., Sept. 11, 1894. On Sept. 20th a "recognition service" was held at the Congregational Church at Putnam, of which Mrs. Beard was a member, and which has since assumed her support, to bid the young missionaries God-speed. They sailed Oct. 27, 1894, as missionaries of the American Board to Foochow, China. Here, owing to the scarcity of laborers, Mr. Beard was put to work almost immediately, even before getting the language. He was chosen president of the theological seminary, and carried on the work of training native preachers. He also had charge of the evangelistic work in the Ponasing station, and made frequent tours, mostly on foot with coolies to carry his baggage. He was very successful in leading the churches to self-support. Mrs. Beard, in addition to the care of her family, carried on work among the women and in the churches, and helped in the multitudinous duties which come to a missionary family. After nearly nine years of successful service they returned on furlough, via the Suez Canal, in 1903, arriving in New York April 25th. After spending a little over a year and a half in this country, during which time they were very active making missionary addresses, they returned to Foochow in Dec., 1904. He is now engaged in general Y. M. C. A. work. Chil-

- 1. PHEBE KINNEY BEARD, b. June 18, 1895.
- 2. MYRON GOULD BEARD, b. Nov. 13, 1896.
- 3. GERALDINE BEARD, b. Aug. 25, 1898.
- 4. DOROTHY BEARD, b. Feb. 26, 1901.

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- iv. ETTA LOUISE KINNEY, b. April 7. 1870; grad. from Putnam High School in 1889; studied two years at the Northfield Bible Training School and one year at the Bible Normal Training School at Springfield, Mass.; m. Rev. Willis P. Hume, June 27. 1901. He was b. Oct. 23, 1861, at Marion, Ohio, the son of Samuel and Maria (Hoxter) Hume; grad. from the Mt. Hermon School, Mass., in 1898, and from the Auburn Theological Seminary in 1901. He is now pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Meridian, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. Donald Corbin Hume, b. March 31, 1903.
- 2. MYRON KINNEY HUME, b. May 23, 1904.
  v. ELBERT CORBIN KINNEY, b. July 24, 1873; grad. in 1893 from the Putnam High School, and in 1898 from Eastman's Business College; is now engaged in the lumber and coal business with his father at Putnam.
- 411. SARAH ELLEN CORBIN (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 8, 1833, at Woodstock, Conn.; studied at Nichols Academy at Dudley, Mass., and at Woodstock Academy; taught school for fifteen terms, animating her pupils with a desire for learning and a noble character. She m. Edwin Newton Lawson of Union, Conn., Feb. 25, 1861. He was b. Jan. 26, 1832, the son of Paul and Lydia (Holman) Lawson. He was descended from John Lawson, who was b. in Linlithgow, Scotland, in 1678, and was one of the first settlers of Union in 1728. His son Thomas was a captain in the Revolution. Thomas' son Robert, a prominent man in the town, was the father of Paul Lawson.

Edwin Newton Lawson has always lived on the homestead at Union, where he has been a successful farmer, improving his farm until it is probably the best in the town. He has been for many years a leading member and supporter of the Congregational Church at Union, having been deacon for over thirty-five years, and was for many years superintendent of the Sunday-school. He has avoided public office, but was for some time school visitor and started the "select school" in 1881.

Mrs. Sarah E. Lawson, one of the best of mothers, a kind and helpful neighbor and a devoted Christian, died Dec. 31, 1885.

## Children:

i. GEORGE NEWTON LAWSON, b. July 2, 1865. He graduated from the Hitchcock Free High School at

Brimfield, Mass., in 1885, from Yale College in 1890, and from the Yale Medical School in 1892. On Aug. 15, 1892, he settled in Middle Haddam, Conn., where he went into partnership with Dr. A. B. Worthington, who d. April 26, 1898. Dr. Lawson was appointed medical examiner for the town of Chatham April 1, 1893, and town health officer July 23, 1901, during a smallpox epidemic. • He is a member of the Middlesex County Medical Association, of the State Medical Society, and of the Middletown Medical Association. served the Congregational Church of Middle Haddam as deacon since April 4, 1895, and chairman of the society's committee since December of that year. He has also been president of the local and Middlesex County C. E. Unions. He has been secretary and treasurer of the Middle Haddam public library since August, 1893, and director of the Chatham library since its formation. He m. Ida Louise McLean of Middle Haddam, June 17, 1897. She was b. Nov. 22, 1866, the dau. of Daniel N. M. McLean and Mary Gardner Hurd. Daniel McLean, was b. at Bristol, R. I., Dec. 25, 1818, was custom officer at New Orleans, steward on steamers, and d. at Middle Haddam Oct. 28, 1877. Children b. in Middle Haddam, Conn.:

- 1. GEORGE McLEAN LAWSON, b. May 26, 1898.
- 2. Donald Lawson, b. Sept. 29, 1901.
- 3. CLEMENT CORBIN LAWSON, b. Sept. 25, 1904.

The following poem by Dr. G. N. Lawson of Middle Haddam, a former resident of Union, was read at the dedication of the soldiers' monument at Union on Memorial Day, 1902:

#### IN COMING YEARS.

What message will you block of granite bear To those who in the days to come shall pass this way?

What will it tell the man bowed down with care?
What lesson teach the child who sees it in his play?

In each one, as he looks, some different thoughts will rise.

As each in life has played some different role. We see the colors suited to our natural eyes; We feel those yearnings germane to our soul.

Perchance some father, seeing this, may pray:

"God grant my boy may be of those who dare
To follow where the flag of right may lead the way.

That he attain a noble, earnest manhood is my prayer."

The mother, taught by this, will partly know
The tearful eagerness, the trembling pride
Of those who kissed their sons adieu so long ago,
And tried with smiles their aching hearts to hide.

REV. HARVEY M. LAWSON, 1904.



The maid or matron to whose life has come
The love of some strong, noble, upright man,
Will know the choking throats that made those
others dumb,
Of hearts that ached at parting as only woman's

Some passing youth may feel his pulses swell,
His muscles tighten and his teeth shut fast;
The call to do, to dare, to be, may tell
Of earnest manhood come, of childhood's play-life passed.

This mute memorial of a dark, sad time.

Gives us some hint of that glad future day,

When wars shall cease in every land and clime,

When guns shall rust and swords be laid away.

George Newton Lawson.

Union, Conn., May 30, 1902.

ii. HARVEY MERRILL LAWSON, b. Jan. 31, 1868; grad. from the Hitchcock Free High School at Brimfield, Mass., in 1886, from the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale in 1890, and from the Yale Divinity School in 1893; ordained at Battell Chapel, New Haven, as a foreign missionary, May 18, 1893; published in the summer of 1893 "The History of Union, Conn," a work of 500 pages. He m. May 23, 1893, Dedie Sarah Baldwin, at Battell Chapel, New Haven, the ceremony being performed by President Dwight. She was b. Aug. 27, 1869, at Litchfield, Pa., being the dau. of Isaac Park and Huldah (Ball) Baldwin. He was descended from Richard Baldwin, who settled at Milford, Conn., as follows: Richard, Barnabas, Theophilus, Henry, Henry, Alsop, Isaac. On July 29, 1893, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson sailed as missionaries of the American Board to India, arriving in Bombay Sept. 10th. They were stationed at Ahmednagar, a city in the Deccan one hundred and fifty miles east of Bombay. Here Mr. Lawson soon engaged in teaching in English in the Mission High School, and later in the Theological Seminary, at the same time learning the Marathi language. Mrs. Lawson also studied the language, and taught sewing and fancy work, music, and elocution. Mr. Lawson did much work among the educated Hindus, giving frequent lectures; he carried on the Y. M. C. A. work, was station treasurer, superintended a book depot, and was chaplain for the Non-Conformist British soldiers. Later he had charge of a district, and made frequent tours. In 1897 Mrs. Lawson's health became so poor that they reluctantly left their work, returning to America via Burma, Singapore, China, Japan, and San Francisco. For a year after their return they made their headquarters in New Haven, where Mr. Lawson, in addition to taking post-graduate studies at Yale, made many missionary addresses in the churches and gave stereoptican lectures with fine effect. In Sept., 1898, he became pastor of the Congregational Church at Brooklyn, Conn., where he remained until 1901, a part of the time being also chaplain of the Windham County jail. In the fall of 1901, for the sake of Mrs. Lawson's health, he went to Pomona, Fla., and took charge of the church there until the summer of 1902. In the winter of 1902-3 he was principal of the Boydton Institute for colored people at Boydton, Va. He acted as pastor of the Congregational Church at Hanover, Conn., from Jan., 1904, to March 1, 1905. He resides at present at Putnam, Conn. Children:

1. Evangeline Baldwin Lawson, b. Jan. 1,

1895, at Ahmednagar, India.

2. PAULINE LAWSON, b. April 21, 1900, at Brooklyn, Conn.; d. there April 8, 1901; buried at Union, Conn.

3. NEWTON BALDWIN LAWSON, b. Dec. 1, 1902,

at New Haven, Conn.

- iii. Mary Eva Lawson, b. Dec. 19, 1871; has been the home-maker for her father since her mother's death in 1885; m. Orlo Bradford Carpenter of Eastford, June 26, 1902. He was b. June 24, 1865, the son of David P. and Harriet L. (Bowen) Carpenter. Children:
  - 1. Newton Lawson Carpenter, b. May 19, 1903.
- 2. HAROLD DAVID CARPENTER, b. June 4, 1904. iv. Susie Minerva Lawson, b. April 4, 1874; grad. from the Hitchcock Free High School at Brimfield, Mass., in 1892, from Mt. Holyoke College in 1898, taking the degree B.S. She has since been teaching: two years in the High School at Mansfield, Mass.; two years, from Oct., 1902, to June, 1904, in the Orange Park Normal and Manual Training School, for colored people, at Orange Park, Fla., under the American Missionary Association, and at present (1905) in Tougaloo University at Tougaloo, Miss.
- 412. Dea. Frank Lathrop Corbin (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 13, 1838, at Woodstock; studied at Nichols Academy at Dudley, Mass.; m. Mary Bradford, Dec. 1, 1863; she was b. Oct. 23, 1840, the dau. of George and Phebe (Phillips) Bradford of W. Woodstock; she is a direct descendant of Gov. William Bradford of Plymouth, as follows: William, William, Samuel, Perez, George, Carpenter, George, Mary. Frank Corbin lived at the old homestead in the western edge of Woodstock until June, 1880, when he removed to the George Bradford place at W. Woodstock. He is a prom-

DEA. FRANK L. CORBIN, West Woodstock, Conn.



inent and esteemed citizen of the town, having been selectman for six years, justice of the peace six years, assessor three years, and a representative in the legislature of 1875. He belongs to the Woodstock Agricultural Society. He is a leading member of the Baptist Church at W. Woodstock, where he has been a deacon for thirty years, as his father and grandfather were before him. He was superintendent of the Sunday-school for several years.

# Children:

i. GEORGE HERMAN, b. Sept. 30, 1864; d. May 27, 1895.

"He was a young man of such sterling qualities and of such a sunny disposition that 'None knew him but to love him, none named him but to praise.'" He was a leader in the Y. P. S. C. E., and chaplain of the Senexet Grange, which attended his funeral in a heady

tended his funeral in a body.

School at Worcester, Mass., and taught several terms. She m. Dr. Charles Child Gildersleeve, June 26, 1896. He was b. April 28, 1866, at Northport, L. I., the son of Samuel and Annette (Child) Gildersleeve. After graduating from High School he attended New York University, and graduated from the Yale Medical School in 1896. He was for a year at the City Hospital at Worcester, and then settled as a physician at East Woodstock, Conn., where he has an extended practice and is very popular. He is on the staff of the Day-Kimball Hospital at Putnam. Children:

1. GEORGE HAROLD GILDERSLEEVE, b. June 16,

1898.

2. Donald Child Gildersleeve, b. Reb. 22, 1900.

iii. WILIAM BRADFORD, b. Sept. 14, 1875; d. April 14, 1885.

413. MILO PLINY CORBIN (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 16, 1842, at Woodstock; m. Mary Easterbrooks Corbin, March 15, 1863; she was b. March 15, 1845, the dau. of Thomas E. and Sally Maria (Clarke) Corbin (Thomas E., Thomas, John, Philip, James, Clement). She d. Jan. 18, 1895, of heart trouble. He m. 2d, Emma Maria Alton, Feb. 25, 1896; she was b. Oct. 1, 1845, the dau. of Almon and Mary (Tucker) Alton of Putnam. He is a carpenter at Putnam, Conn., an esteemed citizen, was constable and police officer for seventeen years, chorister of the Baptist choir for sixteen

years, and a member of the choir of the Congregational Church for a considerable period.

## Children:

- i. ELLA FRANCES, b. June 11, 1866; grad. from Putnam High School in 1886; m. Warren J. Arnold, Sept. 16, 1890; he was b. June 17, 1869, at Rockport, Mass., the son of William A. and Harriet (Elliott) Arnold. He was for some time in the employ of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. at Putnam, and then for several years a gate-keeper at the terminal station at Boston, residing at Dorchester. He is now treasurer of the Bartlett Construction Co., carpenters and builders of Providence, R. I., and resides at 88 America St., Providence. Children:
  - 1. WILLIAM ELLIOTT ABNOLD, b. July 15, 1891. 2. HOWARD CORBIN ARNOLD, b. Dec. 1, 1893.
- ii. Eva Marion, b. Jan. 3, 1868; d. March 20, 1873.
- 414. VIOLA CALISTA CORBIN (Penuel, Penuel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 28, 1848; m. William Alderman, Dec. 28, 1872; he was b. June 15, 1846, the son of John and Charlotte T. Alderman. He was a farmer in the western part of Woodstock for many years, but now resides at Worcester, Mass.

## Children:

- i. EDITH LOUISE ALDERMAN, b. Oct. 27, 1874; m. Arthur Marcus Clark, Oct. 18, 1899; he was b. May 29, 1868, the son of Otis and Mary W. Clark. He is a furniture dealer, of the firm Ballard & Clark, at Putnam, Conn. Child:
  - 1. CLIFFORD ALDERMAN CLARK, b. Nov. 22, 1903.
- ii. HERBERT ESCOTT ALDERMAN, b. Aug. 10, 1876; is a carpenter at W. Upton, Mass.
- iii. Eldora Alderman, b. Aug. 31, 1879.
- iv. ALICE MARY ALDERMAN, b. April 24, 1881.
- 415. MARTHA R. CORBYN (Sanford H., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. July 9, 1836; m. Feb. 26, 1857, Charles J. Millspaugh; he was b. Aug. 6, 1832, at Gregsville, N. Y. Res. Kalamazoo, Mich.

- i. ELLA LUCRETIA MILLSPAUGH, b. March 20, 1858, at Ray, Mich.; m. George Masson of Plainwell, Mich. They live at S. Omaha, Neb., where he is government meat inspector.
- ii. ALMA NATHANIEL MILLSPAUGH, b. Jan. 2, 1861, at Ray, Mich.; m. Effie E. Bailey of Plainwell, Mich.,

Feb. 8, 1880; she was b. March 3, 1861, at Waterloo, Iowa. He is a miner at Millspaugh, Inyo Co., Cal.; one ch.: Louisa Millspaugh, b. in Plainwell, Mich.; d. in infancy.

416. Knowlton Pierson Corbyn (Sanford H., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Aug. 5, 1846; m. Mary Townly Dunham, Dec. 23, 1867; she was b. Oct. 14, 1845, at Naples, Ontario Co., N. Y. He was a civil engineer. While engaged with one William Hene in putting in the Hyde Park, Ill., waterworks in Lake Michigan, he was swept by a storm into the lake and drowned, Oct. 8, 1884.

## Child:

- i. Marcia Ellen Corbyn, b. Oct. 7, 1868, at Plainwell, Mich.; was a stenographer with Helmer & Knowlton, Atwood Bldg., Chicago, now at St. Joseph, Mich., Wells Bldg.
- 417. ARTHUR HOLLY CORBYN (Sanford H., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 5, 1849; m. Lyndia Mary Barringer, Jan. 1, 1867; she was b. Aug. 5, 1848, at Bloomfield, Ontario Co., N. Y. They reside at Alamo, Mich., where he is a farmer and has been a justice since July 4, 1900.

- i. Lena Ortensa, b. June 24, 1869; m. William Alexander McPhail, June 17, 1888; he was b. June 28, 1877. He is a mechanic at Kalamazoo, Mich. Child:
  - 1. LOUIE CORBYN McPHAIL, b. March 30, 1890, at Alamo, Mich.
- ii. Ruby Idell, b. Aug. 3, 1873; m. Edward Oliver, Jan. 28, 1897; he was b. March 5, 1871, at Alamo, where he is now a farmer. Children:
  - 1. BLANCHE ISADELL OLIVER, b. Dec. 18, 1899, at Cooper, Mich.
  - 2. MARIE CORBYN OLIVER, b. Sept. 23, 1903, at Alamo.
- 418. Joseph Howard Corbyn (Almon D., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 20, 1842, at St. Louis. He received his education at various schools in Missouri and at St. James College, Maryland. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in St. Louis

shortly after the outbreak of the war. He served for a while in the Confederate army, was captured by the Federals, but made his escape and went to the Rocky Mountains. There he has since remained among the mines and following various occupations. He was never married.

419. HENRY EGERTON CORBYN (Almon D., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 19, 1846, He received his education at the various at St. Louis. schools in Missouri, ending with the sophomore class in Washington University, St. Louis. Upon leaving school he was attracted to the river steamboating on the Mississippi, which was then at its zenith. He followed this profession for about twenty years, serving as clerk or purser on various steamers on the Missouri and Mississippi In 1886, two years after his marriage, he retired from the river and settled down in St. Louis, where he has since been engaged in the insurance business, where he is bookkeeper with the Citizens Insurance Co. He resides in Kirkwood, Mo. He married Annot Lyde Woodward, Feb. 13, 1884. She was dau. of A. and Julia Woodward of Memphis, Tenn., and was b. Oct. 11, 1861. She was terribly burned by gasolene, which ignited from some unknown cause while she was washing a pair of kid gloves. After five months of intense suffering she died Aug. 28, 1903, and is buried in the Belle Fontaine Cemetery at St. Louis.

#### Children:

- i. HENRY EGERTON, Jr., b. Dec. 4, 1884.
- ii. MARMADUKE, b. Aug. 23, 1886.
- 420. Mary Corbyn (Almon D., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 16, 1848, at Boonville, Mo.; m. James H. Johnston, April 4, 1872, at Boonville. He was b. Jan. 20, 1846, in Cooper Co., Mo., and was a lawyer at Boonville. He d. there May 20, 1894. She d. at the same place, June 30, 1901. They lived at first at Sedalia, Mo., and after 1876 at Boonville.

- i. Virginia Johnston, b. Jan. 19. 1873.
- ii. ELEANOR JOHNSTON, b. Jan. 20. 1875; d. Feb. 6, 1876.
- iii. Elizabeth Egerton Johnston, b. July 4, 1877.

- iv. Kelly Ragland Johnston, b. March 30, 1879.
- v. MARY JOSEPHINE JOHNSTON, b. June 5, 1881.
- vi. Clara Belle Johnston, b. May 14, 1883.
- vii. HUGH ALMON JOHNSTON, b. June 10, 1885.
- 421. ELIZABETH CORBYN (Almon D., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 10, 1850; m. John Talbot Boon, Dec. 21, 1871. He was b. in 1845 in Howard Co., Mo., and is in the insurance business at Kansas City, Mo.

#### Children:

- i. John Talbot Boon, Jr., b. Dec. 31, 1878, at Brooklyn, N. Y.
- ii. Nellie Ragland Boon, b. Dec. 30, 1881, at Kansas City, Mo.
- iii. WADE HAMPTON BOON, b. June 13, 1883, at Austin, Texas.
- 422. HELEN CORBYN (Almon D., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 1, 1855, at Jackson, Miss.; m. James Quarles Ragland, at Boonville, Mo., Dec. 19, 1876. He was a farmer and d. at Boonville, June 10, 1888. Res. Chicago, Ill.

- i. John Kelly Ragland, b. Oct. 13, 1877, in Cooper Co., Mo.
- ii. Helen Ragland, b. Oct. 30, 1879.
- 423. WILLIAM WRIGHT CORBYN (William B., Joseph P., William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 21, 1843, at Glastonbury, Conn. He received his education at St. Paul's College, Palmyra, Mo., but he did not graduate. Later he studied for deacon's orders in the Episcopal Church at Macon, Mo., under Rev. Dr. Talbot, now bishop of Central Pennsylvania. He was ordained deacon at St. James' Church, Macon, March 29, 1878, by the late bishop of Missouri, the Right Rev. Dr. Robertson. As deacon, he assisted the rector of St. James' Church, Macon, and later taught in St. Andrew's Military Academy at Seguin, Texas, and did missionary work at several places in that region. After a course of preparation in the theological department of Griswold College at Davenport, Iowa, he was advanced to priest's orders by the Right Rev. Dr.

Perry, late bishop of Iowa, in Grace Cathedral, Davenport, June 6, 1886. His charges were Dennison and Vail, Iowa; Brooklyn, Iowa; Jefferson, Ohio; Tower, Minn.; and East Plymouth, Ohio, where he labored for over thirteen years. In 1892 he was married to Sarah Louise Small of Brooklyn, Iowa, the dau. of William Edward and Mary (Chick) Small; she was b. Oct. 21, 1858, in Iowa City, Iowa. No children. He d. of typhoid pneumonia, April 12, 1905, at East Plymouth, Ohio.

424. LUTHER F. CORBIN (Horatio, William, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 9, 1838; m. Georgianna E. Battorf, July 19, 1859, at Lakeville, Livingstone Co., N. Y.; she was b. July 22, 1844. She now resides at 118 Seventh St., Rochester, N. Y.

#### Children:

i. HARTWELL VINTON, b. Sept. 17, 1860; m. Anna Frazier, Nov. 27, 1844; she was b. Feb. 10, 1860. They have no ch.

ii. John Willard, b. April 1, 1862; m. Jane H. Brown, July 6, 1890; she was b. July 25, 1873. Children:
1. John C. Schermerhorn, b. April 11, 1891; d. April 12, 1891.

2. LESTER HAROLD, b. May 21, 1892.

- 3. MARTHA BIANCIA, b. Sept. 22, 1893.
- Doris Jane, b. Dec. 2, 1895.
   George Carl, b. Dec. 31, 1899.
- 425. ADELBERT CLAYTON CORBIN (Horatio, William, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 7, 1852; m. Frances E. Search, June 11, 1874. They now live at Henrietta, N. Y., where he is a farmer.

- i. CLARA LILLIAN. b. June 25, 1876; m. Arthur McNall, Oct. 9, 1902.
- ii. Princess Inez, b. Dec. 11, 1878; m. Stephen Walter McNall, Dec. 5, 1901.
- iii. Lewis Horatio, b. Jan. 12, 1882.
- iv. Howard Vinton, b. Sept. 25, 1888.
- 426. HIRON F. CORBIN (John S., Abel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Nov. 6, 1843, at Armada, Mich.; m. Ophelia Hicks. He was a soldier in the 5th Michigan Cavalry, Co. E, in 1862. He was in Chicago

at the time of the fire and lost heavily. In 1875 he located in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he has since been in business. Res. 227 Forest Ave., Avondale, Cincinnati, O. They had no children, but adopted one, named Veda Hunt Corbin.

427. Sabin I. Corbin (John S., Abel, William, Philip, James, Clement), b. Sept. 29, 1845, at Armada, Mich.; m. Anna Mills. He is a farmer at Armada, Mich.

## Children:

- i. ESTELLA VAY, m. Newton B. Goodar; 1 ch., d.
- ii. NELLIE MAY, m. Bert Downey; 5 ch., 2 d.
- iii. MINNIE ROSETTA, m. Stirling Henderson; 7 ch.
- iv. Eva Anna, m. William Ball; 1 ch.
- v. John Stilman, m. Hetta Marie Hodges; res. Armada, Mich. Children:
  - 1. VEDA MAY, b. 1888.
  - 2. HATTIE VAY, b. 1892.
  - 3. SABIN J., b. 1894.
  - 4. MANLEY MERLE, b. 1899.
  - 5. HIRON FRANKLIN, b. March 18, 1905.

428. John R. Corbin (Calvin R., Jedediah, Jedediah, Philip, James, Clement), b. May 2, 1870, at Chicago; m. Amy Foster, Nov. 2, 1899. She was the dau. of Edwin Dexter and Mary (Phipps) Foster of New York city.

John Corbin graduated from Harvard in 1892 and received the degree of A.M. in 1893; resided a year, pursuing studies at Balliol College, Oxford, England. He then returned to Harvard, where he was instructor in English composition in 1895-6. He is a talented writer and contributor to magazines on literature, education, the drama, and university athletics. He was an assistant editor of Harper's Magazine from 1897 to 1900, the dramatic critic of Harper's Weekly, 1899-1900, on the editorial staff of the Encyclopædia Brittanica, 1900-1902, since which time he has been the dramatic critic of the New York Times. He is the author of "The Elizabethan Hamlet" (Scribner's, 1895), "Schoolboy Life in England — An American View" (Harpers, 1898), "An American at Oxford" (Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1902), and "A New Portrait of Shakespeare" (Lane, N. Y.,

- 1903). He belongs to the University Club of New York. Residence, 128 W. 11th St., New York.
- 429. CHARLES HENRY CORBIN (Nelson, Otis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Nov. 9, 1855; m. 1st, Evelyn White, Nov. 5, 1882, at Farnumsville, Mass. She d. April 27, 1889. He m. 2d, Mary MacMasters of Franklin, Dec. 16, 1891.

#### Children of 1st wife:

- i. Jesse Harriet, b. Sept. 26, 1885.
- ii. CHESTER HAROLD, b. Nov. 3, 1887.

#### Children of 2d wife:

- iii. Ernest Carleton, b. July 29, 1893.
- iv. Evelyn Ardis, b. June 8, 1895.
- 430. SARAH NELLIE CORBIN (Nelson, Otis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 24, 1858; m. Oliver H. Ingalls, Nov. 28, 1878. He was in the Civil War as a private in Co. H, 22d Mass. Vols.; wounded at Gaines' Mills, Va., June 27, 1862, losing thirty-one pieces of bone in his arm; he was in all the battles with his regiment up to Oct. 29, 1862, when he was transferred to Co. I, First U. S. Cavalry, and served as trumpeter, sergeant, sergeantmajor, until Feb. 13, 1867, when he was discharged at Camp Watson, Oregon, the last two years being in the Indian country. He was postmaster at Franklin, Mass., from 1883 to 1887, since which time he has been in the service of the N. Y., N. II. & H. R. R.

#### Children:

- i. Vesta Maria Ingalls, b. Aug. 9, 1880.
- ii. George Nelson Ingalls, b. Oct. 1, 1882; d. May 3, 1889.
- iii. GLADYS NELLIE INGALLS, b. July 21, 1893.
- 431. HERBERT WINSLOW CORBIN (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Jan. 29, 1842, at Webster, Mass.; m. Helen Irene Tompkins, March 4, 1872, at Bristol, Conn. She was b. in 1845 at Morris, Conn., and d. June 4, 1894, at Waterbury, Conn.

Herbert W. Corbin went west with his father's family in 1861; enlisted Oct. 12, 1861, in the 41st Iowa Vol. Inf.,

JOHN CORBIN, 128 W. 11th St., New York City.



Co. C, from Buena Vista, Clinton Co., Ia.; promoted to 2d corporal; transferred to Co. M, 7th Cavalry, April 25, 1863; promoted to 1st corporal, April 8, 1865; mustered out at Sioux City, Ia., June 22, 1866. After his marriage at Bristol, Conn., he lived in Connecticut for a while, and then went to Auburn, Cal., where he d. April 4, 1882.

# Children:

i. Effie Elena, b. Dec. 19, 1872, at Bristol, Conn. Add. 141 Waterville St., Waterbury, Conn.

ii. Charles Marshall, b. Sept. 4, 1875, at New Haven, Conn.; m. Edith Anna Everts, June 15, 1902, at Glidden, Ia., where they live. Ch.: David Herbert, b. July 28, 1904.

iii. Frank Seymour, b. Aug. 18, 1877, in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, Cal.; resides at Coon Rapids,

Ia.

iv. Fred Alfred. b. Sept., 1879, at Wheatland, Cal.; m. Lucy Esther Corbin, dau. of Charles Davis Corbin, Oct. 10, 1904, in Winnepeg, Manitoba; res. Louris, Manitoba.

v. Herbert Clarence, b. Feb. 16, 1882, at Auburn, Cal.; m. Isabel Hand, Dec. 21, 1904, at Bantam, Conn.

Res. Waterbury, Conn.

432. Mary Elizabeth Corbin (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Feb. 10, 1844, at Webster, Mass.; m. 1st, Grove Goodrich Case of Bristol, Conn., July 25, 1860, at Plymouth, Conn. He was the son of Leverett Goodrich and Margaret A. (Camp) Case, and was b. June 20, 1839, at Bristol, Conn., and d. there Sept. 9, 1866. She m. 2d, James S. Carter, July 8, 1869, in Marshalltown, Ia. He was b. May 25, 1833, in Clermont Co., Ohio. They lived at Des Moines, where he was a printer and blank-book manufacturer. He was state binder from 1866 to 1870. Mary E. Carter is a woman of strong will and iron nerve, and has given her children an excellent chance in the world. She is a china painter of considerable reputation. Res. 2300 Woodland Ave., Des Moines, Ia.

#### Children of 1st husband:

i. EDITH MAY CASE, b. April 25, 1861, in Bristol; d.

Aug. 15, 1862.

ii. WARD GOODRICH CASE, b. Nov. 18, 1864, in Bristol; m. Nina Louise Hamilton, April 22, 1903, at Des Moines, Ia.; she was the dau. of Williamson E. and Anna Belle (Turner) Case, and was b. March 29, 1882, at Des Moines, Ia.

#### Children of 2d husband:

- i. James S. Carter, Jr., b. May 18, 1873; m. Mabel C. Cannon, June 15, 1896; she was b. May 16, 1875, at Mitchelville, Ia. He d. March 18, 1903. Children:
  - 1. James Laforest Carter, b. April 15, 1899.
- 2. CATHERINE CASE CARTER, b. Oct. 9, 1901. ii. Charles Corbin Carter, b. Dec. 19, 1874; d. Aug. 30, 1885.
- 433. HARRIET ELVIRA CORBIN (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Oct. 30, 1846, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Francis Adam Warrick, Nov. 6, 1867, at Marshalltown, Ia. He was b. March 24, 1835, in Pocahontas, Va., and d. May 6, 1893, in Creighton, Neb. She lives at Norfolk, Neb.

#### Children:

i. GERTRUDE CORBIN WARRICK, b. Nov. 6, 1868, in Marshalltown, Ia.; m. Edmond Pardon Weatherby, Sept. 3, 1890; he was b. March 2, 1846, in Knox Co., Ohio. Res. Norfolk, Neb.

ii. Francis Esther Warrick, b. July 27, 1875; m. Joseph Addison Shoemaker, Feb. 14, 1900; he was b. Aug. 23, 1872, in Briggsville, Ill. Res. 4012 Nichols St., Omaha, Neb.

434. LUCIETTA CORBIN (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. June 27, 1848, in Dudley, Mass.; m. Clarence Amial Johnson, March 20, 1873, at Carrollton, Ia.; he was b. Nov. 10, 1846, in Sherborn, Rutland Co., Vt. Res. E. Auburn, Cal.

- i. MARY WOOD JOHNSON, b. May 3, 1874; d. July 10, 1875; both in Carrollton.
- ii. Cora Ruth Johnson, b. July 27, 1876, in Carroll, Ia.; d. Aug. 11, 1894, in Auburn, Cal.
- iii. ADA LUCILE JOHNSON, b. Dec. 12, 1881, in Auburn, Cal.
- 435. CHARLES DAVIS CORBIN (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Nov. 20, 1853, in Bristol, Conn.; m. Ann Piper, March 25, 1877, in Carroll, Ia.; she was b. Sept. 13, 1856. They live at Coon Rapids, Ia.

## Children:

- i. Grace May, b. Sept. 2, 1878, in Wheatland, Cal.
- ii. Lucy Esther, b. Dec. 29, 1881, in Carrollton; m. Fred A. Corbin; res. Louris, Manitoba.
- iii. MARY BELLE, b. Sept. 10, 1883; d. Aug. 14, 1888.
- iv. WARD H., b. July 3, 1886; d. Aug. 13, 1888.
- v. Lynn, b. May 20, 1894.
- 436. SIDNEY EMORY CORBIN (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1855, in Wolcott, Conn.; m. Anna E. Kay, Sept. 5, 1881, in Carrollton, Ia. Res. E. Auburn, Cal.

## Children:

- i. JESSIE, b. July 28, 1882, in Carroll, Ia.; m. Alexander Day, July 20, 1902, in Auburn, Cal.; he was b. July 12, 1879, in Virginia City, Nev.
- ii. ARTHUR EUGENE, b. June 1, 1883, at Michigan Bluff, Cal.
- iii. SIDNEY KAY, b. April 8, 1885, at Auburn, Cal.
- iv. Alma Etta, b. Jan. 8, 1892, at Auburn, Cal.
- 437. Louisa Corbin (Lewis A., Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. March 27, 1847, at Dudley, Mass.; m. Sidney Austin Grant, March 27, 1867. He was the son of Sidney and Mary Ann (McKinney) Grant of Manchester, Conn., and was b. Aug. 31, 1842. He has been engaged in the envelope business, being for some time traveling salesman for White & Corbin of Rockville, Conn. They lived at Denver, Col., for a time, and also at Cincinnati, Ohio. They now reside on "The Conchusett Farm," via Thompsonville, Conn., on the boundary of Connecticut and Massachusetts. He is a member of the "Grant Family Association." He was inventor of the chainless bicycle, automatic envelope machinery, etc. He has traveled extensively both in this country and Europe.

- i. Lewis Corbin Grant, b. Nov. 27, 1868, at Rockville; m. Hattie Tyler Somes, Aug. 17, 1893; she d. Dec. 4, 1895. He traveled extensively in the United States, Alaska, and Europe. He now resides with his parents at the "Conchusett Farm." He was lieutenant of Co. K, 2d Regt. 'Mass. Vol. Militia. Child:
  - 1. SIDNEY SOMES GRANT, b. Nov. 30, 1895.
- ii. SIDNEY ALLEN GRANT, b. Aug. 17, 1874, at Cincinnati; d. April 15, 1881, at Rockville.

iii. MARY LOUISA GRANT. b. Sept. 14, 1878, at Bond Hill, Ohio; d. July 18, 1880, at Rockville.

iv. Helen Louise Grant, b. April 29, 1890, at Spring-field, Mass.

438. Imogene Corbin (Lewis A., Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. July 12, 1851, at Rockville, Conn.; m. Edward Hawley Woodford, June 14, 1871; divorced in 1885 or 1886. She m. 2d, Jonathan Morey, Oct., 1887, at Lebanon, N. H. He served in the Civil War in the Heavy Artillery; he was a locomotive engineer. He d. Jan. 14, 1895, at Worcester, Mass. She d. April 13, 1901.

#### Children:

i. Frank Corbin Woodford, b. Jan. 31, 1872.

- ii. Grace Woodford, b. May 17, 1874; m. Thurston Wilcox, Nov. 25, 1897; he was the son of Otis S. and June (Bailey) Wilcox. He was a traveling salesman fifteen years, and has been in the retail shoe business five years. Res. 45 Center St., Waterbury, Conn. Children:
  - 1. Marjorie Edwina Wilcox, b. Sept. 10, 1898.
  - 2. THURSTON WOODWARD WILCOX, b. June 14, 1901.
    - 3. MARION EUGENE WILCOX. b. March 1, 1903.
- 439. Mary Abby Corbin (Lewis A., Lewis, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), b. June 16, 1856; m. Walter Everett Payne, Oct. 24, 1877; he was b. March 8, 1854, at South Coventry, the son of Sumner and Mary (Lillie) Payne. They live at Rockville, Conn. He was in the envelope business with White & Corbin, but is now a dealer in coal.

- i. LESLIE CORBIN PAYNE, b. Aug. 16, 1878, at Bond Hill, Ohio; d. Oct. 31, 1881, Rockville, Conn.
- ii. CLARENCE SUMNER PAYNE, b. Jan. 27, 1880, at Bond Hill, Ohio; was in the class of 1902, Yale.
- 440. ELIAKIM LYON CORBIN (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Sept. 10, 1835; m. Emma Crayton. He was an assistant surgeon in the 156th Regt. of N. Y. Vols. during the Civil War; was afterwards a clerk in the Treasury Department at Washington, where he d. Jan., 1891, leaving no children.

CHARLES L. CORBIN, Metuchen, N. J.



- 441. ABEL RATHBONE CORBIN (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. April 10, 1838; grad. at Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., at the age of about twenty; enlisted in the 114th N. Y. Vols. and was mustered with that regiment at Norwich, N. Y., about August, 1862, and was a corporal in Co. H. Later, at Brasher City, La., he was commissioned 2d lieut. He d. there of typhoid fever, May 31, 1863, and was buried there with his comrades.
- 442. Don Delos Corbin (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. March 3, 1840; m. Mary Coville, dau. of Joseph Addison and Harriet (Herrick) Coville of Preston, Chenango Co., N. Y., Dec. 28, 1870. She was b. Feb. 26, 1848, and d. March 21, 1904. He resides at Oxford, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. HARRIET MAY, b. Dec. 8, 1871.
- ii. VIRGINIA JEMIMA, b. June 13, 1874.
- iii. HERBERT DELOS, b. Sept. 25, 1876; d. April 28, 1889.
- iv. AEEL RATHBONE, b. Feb. 8, 1879.
- v. HARLAN HORACE, b. April 8, 1882.
- vi. JESSICA COVILLE, b. March 2, 1885.
- 443. Alfred W. Corbin (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Oct. 31, 1843; m. Elizabeth Wagenen, Nov. 6, 1869. He was a farmer at Oxford, N. Y., where he d.

- i. WILLIAM HARTMAN, b. March 17, 1871.
- ii. May, b. Feb. 18, 1875; m. Willard Cronk of Oxford, Jan., 1898.
- iii. GRACE JANE, b. Feb. 3, 1879.
- 444. CHARLES LYON CORBIN (Eli L., Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Jan. 22, 1846, at McDonough, N. Y.; m. Elizabeth Brewster of Schoharie, N. Y., Sept. 7, 1870; she was the dau. of Ralph and Christina (Dockstader) Brewster. Charles L. Corbin graduated at Hamilton College, N. Y., in 1866 with honors, among them the winning of a Phi Beta Kappa key. He studied law and has been practicing since 1870 in Jersey City,

since 1875 in the firm of Collins & Corbin, the other members being Judge Gilbert Collins (with the exception of six years when he was on the bench), and Mr. Corbin's brother, William H. Corbin, and now his son, Ralph B. Corbin. He has had a wide and successful experience in the practice of the law, having been retained in recent years in many of the heaviest litigations in the New Jersey courts, such as the cases of the Steel Corporation, Amalgamated Copper Co., the American Asphalt Co., etc. His opinion is much sought by other counsel in all parts of the state, and the firm is counsel for many large corporations and trustees. He was engaged in 1884 by the New Jersey senate to draft the new railroad tax laws, and since that time he has served on the commission to revise the statutes of New Jersey. He has issued several publications on the rules and practice of the courts and has edited an American edition of "Benjamin on Sales." He resides at Metuchen, N. J.

## Children:

- i. ABBY BREWSTER, b. Feb. 17, 1872, at Jersey City; m. Herbert Ernest Cushman, Feb. 16, 1904.
- ii. RALPH BREWSTER, b. Dec. 26, 1873; m. Harriet Louise Byram of Newark, Jan. 23, 1901. They have one child, Helen Brewster, b. Nov. 16, 1901; res. Metuchen, N. J.
- 445. FRANK TAINTOR CORBIN (Eli L., Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Sept. 20, 1849; m. Sarah Brewster of Schoharie, N. Y., April 26, 1876. He is a merchant and prominent business man at Oxford, N. Y. He is president of the Oxford Memorial Library, which was founded in honor of his parents.

- i. ELIZABETH BREWSTER, b. June 26, 1878; m. Ray Clement Burr of New York city, Dec. 31, 1904.
- ii. FLORINE ROBINSON, b. Nov. 23, 1879; m. Ernest Harold Rapalji of N. Carolina, Oct. 25, 1904.
- iii. Frank Taintor, Jr., b. Jan. 15, 1885.
- iv. Charles Eli, b. April 22, 1887.
- v. ELIOT PAYSON, b. Aug. 17, 1891.
- 446. WILLIAM HORACE CORBIN (Eli L., Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. July 12, 1851, at

WILLIAM H. CORBIN, Elizabeth, N. J.



McDonough, N. Y.; m. Clementine Kellogg, June 12, 1878, at Elizabeth, N. J.

Mr. Corbin was educated at Washington, D. C., at Oxford Academy, at Cornell University, and at the Columbia Law School; was admitted to practice law in New York in 1872 and in New Jersey in 1874. He has lived in Elizabeth, N. J., since 1870, and has carried on the practice of law in Jersey City. He is one of the best known and successful lawyers in that state. He is the author of "Corbin's Law Forms," published in 1882. He published editions of New Jersey corporation laws in 1881 and since. He served in the New Jersey legislature in 1885, 1886, and 1887; was on the commission to revise the laws of New Jersey; on the Gettysburg State Monument Commission; and counsel to the senate investigating committee in 1889 and 1895. He has recently been made president of the New Jersey Title Guarantee & Trust Co., a bank of Jersey City. He is a leading member of the Presbyterian Church of Elizabeth.

## Children:

- i. CLEMENT KELLOGG, b. Oct. 3, 1879; graduated at Cornell University in 1902, and at the New York Law School in 1904.
- ii. Horace Kellogg, b. April 25, 1887.
- iii. Augustus Kellogg, b. Oct. 22, 1888; d. Aug. 8, 1889.
- 447. LILLIAN ABBY CORBIN (Eli L., Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement), b. Oct. 16, 1854; m. Eliot Robertson Payson, July 13, 1882, at Oxford, N. Y. He was b. Feb. 24, 1846, the son of Eliot Hale and Mary Law (Robertson) Payson. An ancestor of his, Edward Payson, m. in 1643 Mary Eliot, a sister of the apostle to the Indians.

Prof. Payson is the head master of the Rutgers College Preparatory School at New Brunswick, N. J. They have no children.

448. Walter Corbin (Jabez, Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. April 16, 1825, in Charlton; m. Philena Goldthwait, Oct. 10, 1846, in Webster; she was b. in Uxbridge, Mass., 1809; d. in Warren, Mass., Aug. 26, 1857. He was a farmer.

#### Child:

- i. RUTH ANN, b. July 26, 1849, in Warren; m. Andrew Jackson Ryder, Sept. 2, 1866, in Monson, Mass. Children b. in Monson:
  - 1. FREDERICK ELLSWORTH RYDER, b. Jan. 16, 1868; m. Mary Etta Nielson, July 31, 1888, in Monson.
    - 2. ADIN JACKSON RYDER, b. Nov. 19, 1871.
    - 3. LAURA ANNIE RYDER, b. June 18, 1873.
  - 4. WILLIAM ANDREW RYDER, b. Feb. 26, 1875; d. Jan. 24, 1876.
    - 5. MINNIE PHILENA RYDER, b. Sept. 21, 1876.
  - 6. WALTER ALONZO RYDER, b. April 2, 1379; d. June 30, 1881.
    - 7. LOLA BELLE RYDER, b. March 4, 1881.
- 449. Rufus Corbin (Jabez, Jonathan, Jabez, Jabez, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 20, 1833, in Webster; m. Christina McFall, Nov. 29, 1854, in Philmont, N. Y. She was b. in Philmont, Feb. 14, 1836.

## Child:

i. Maggie Louise, b. Sept. 20, 1857; graduate of the Normal College, N. Y. She is a teacher in the public schools in New York city.

Rufus Corbin, to whom, as much as to anyone else, the origin of this commemorative record of the Corbins is due, was a self-made man of the best type and one who brought true honor to the Corbin name. He was left an orphan at the age of fourteen, and was "bound out," according to the custom, until he should be twenty-one. Wishing for an education, which his guardian was unwilling to allow him, he ran away and later had the papers transferred. He worked at the Springfield Armory for a time and then went to New York, where he worked days and attended night school taught by a Presbyterian minister. attending the Hudson Academy one year, he began teaching at Philmont, N. Y., in 1853, where he found his wife. He also taught at Nyack. Soon after he went to New York and entered the employ of the Third Ave. Railroad Co. as clerk. He continued in the employ of this company until his death, being for many years its cashier. The head of the company testified of him, "He was the most just man ever in our service."

RUFUS CORBIN, New York City

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He died of typhoid pneumonia, Feb. 12, 1898, and was buried at Philmont, N. Y.

He was a devoted member of the First Collegiate Reformed Church at 121st St. and Third Ave., New York. The church paper, at the time of his death, said of him:

#### A NOBLE LIFE.

"Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord." — Rom. 12: 11.

Rufus Corbin, a faithful and devoted member of this Church, passed from death unto life last Sabbath evening after an illness lasting only a little over a week. He had not been strong for some time, and the frail body could not resist the attack of this last severe illness. He was in the 65th year of his age.

In his death the family has lost a most loving and devoted husband and father, the Church and its pastors a staunch friend and supporter, and the corporation for which he labored a most faithful and trustworthy employee.

At the funeral services, which were conducted by Dr. Elmendorf, assisted by the Rev. Francis Horton, D.D., of Philadelphia and Mr. Malven, a large number of friends gathered to pay their tribute to the memory of the one who was called home.

Both Dr. Horton and Dr. Elmendorf spoke feelingly and touchingly of the nobility of the character of Mr. Corbin. "Truth," said they, "characterized his every action."

He was true and loyal in the highest degree to his family, whom he loved with deepest and tenderest devotion; he was true and loyal to the interests of the corporation which he served so faithfully for more than forty years; he was true and loyal to his loving Saviour Jesus Christ and to the church which now mourns his loss.

The things which make for peace were dear to him, for he loved his Saviour, the Word of God, and the Church of Christ. He was a careful thinker and student, and the study of God's word was his delight. He sought continually to know more of God and His love as revealed in His Holy Word, and as God gave him a fuller knowledge of Himself and His dealings with the children of men, there was manifested in his own character a gentleness and sweetness that is as rare today as it is beautiful.

The sympathy of our people goes out to the lonely wife and daughter, and united prayer arises that the God of all comfort will wipe away the tears which now dim their vision.

"The memory of the just is blessed."

450. Mary Maria Corbin (Pliny Moore, Royal, John, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 14, 1826; m. Rev. Henry Noble Strong, D.D., May 1, 1849. He was b. June 10, 1825, son of Timothy Clapp and Aurelia (Goodsell) Strong of Albion, N. Y. He grad. at Union College, N. Y., 1849; was an Episcopal clergyman settled at Marshall, Mich., Adrian, Mich., Quincy, Ill., and at Baton Rouge, La. She d. July 3, 1853, in Marshall, Mich.

## Children:

i. Edward Young Strong, b. March 14, 1850.

ii. WILLIAM CORBIN STRONG, b. Sept. 17, 1851; d. Sept. 21, 1853.

iii. ARTHUR WELLS STRONG, b. May 19, 1853.

451. CORDELIA E. CORBIN (Henry Jay, John, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 18, 1838; m. Alvin D. Sargent, Oct. 5, 1858. He was b. Aug. 7, 1837. He was a farmer at New Berlin, N. Y. She d. March 10, 1870, and he d. March 16, 1903, both at Norwich, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. MARY LUELLA SARGENT, b. June 5, 1860, at Sherburne, N. Y.; m. Alonzo H. Adams, April 30, 1884, at Norwich, N. Y. They reside at Otego, N. Y., where he is a foreman in the Casket Factory. Children:
  - 1. Howard W. Adams, b. Jan. 17, 1886.

2. LEE ALVIN ADAMS, b. Oct. 15, 1891.

3. Ella May Adams, b. March 26, 1894; d. May

4. HARVEY JAY ADAMS, b. Sept. 21, 1899.

ii. JAY CORBIN SARGENT, b. Oct. 29, 1862, at New Berlin, N. Y.; m. Jennie Benedict of Saratoga, N. Y., May 7, 1885. He d. Sept. 28, 1897, at Cohoes. She lives at 818 River St., Troy, N. Y. Children:

1. Edith Sargent, d. young.

2. Son, d: young.

452. HIRAM FOSTER CORBIN (Amasa, William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. April 8, 1833; m. Cynthia J. Giffin of Rutland, Jefferson Co., N. Y., March 13, 1856. He d. April 14, 1866.

#### Child:

i. Frank Hiram, b. April 13, 1857; m. Sarah A. Adamson, July 24, 1881. Children:

1. NINA H., b. July 28, 1886.

- 2. Roy F., b. July 25, 1888.
- 3. RUBY IRENE, b. June 17, 1891; d. May 24, 1893.
- 453. CHARLES MOORE CORBIN (Amasa, William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 25, 1838; m. Arlina Rosina McCombs, Feb. 29, 1859. They reside at Gouverneur, N. Y.

Charles M. Corbin at one time was classed as the heaviest importer of Canadian live stock. He has been an active man all his life, and generally successful in his speculative ventures. Until the "beef trust" obtained control of the cattle trade, and crushed out all competition, he was known as an excellent judge of values in live stock and a prudent dealer. He is now a retired farmer, living in a handsome homestead, breeds a few Holsteins of fine quality and pure pedigree, and is spending a placid old age in serene contemplation of his successes and philosophic acceptance of his defeats, satisfied because the balance is in his favor. He knows a monopoly by instinct and hates it; he discovers a trust while others are searching; he believes he ought to have as good a chance as any one and fights for that privilege. His politics are of that determined sort, prevalent in the family, that admit of no trimming, and no man is in doubt where he stands in any election.

#### Children:

i. Henrietta, b. Nov. 29, 1859; d. Aug. 8, 1863.

ii. FRED HENRY, b. April 27, 1860; d. March 23, 1892. iii. MARY ESTELLE, b. June 16, 1863; m. Fred McWilliams, June 1, 1886; no ch.

iv. ADA PEABL, b. March 20, 1876.

**454.** Jay Spencer Corbin (Amasa, William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 31, 1840; m. Christia Ann Hill, Oct. 2, 1865. Jay S. Corbin was educated in the district school and in the larger school of self instruction. At an early age he developed a decided taste for mechanics, and constructed an electric machine at the age of fourteen. At seventeen, he began teaching, first in a district school and later in Packard's Business College, New York, and as principal in the Burlington, Vt., Business College. He was thus engaged in teaching and lecturing in various cities for eleven years. In 1867 he became an agent for the Continental Life Insurance Co., first at Lancaster, Pa., and later with his brother Amasa as a manager of the general agency at Philadelphia. Later they held a similar position at Philadelphia for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. In these positions Mr. Corbin's energy, good judgment, and warm-heartedness brought success and approbation.

Mr. Corbin is an ardent lover of mechanics and thoroughly grounded in its principles and practice; inventor and patentee of many practical, labor-saving devices, espe-

cially the "Corbin Disk Harrow"; manufacturer of his own inventions, which gained a world-wide circulation; retired at fifty-five with "enough for a rainy day"; local capitalist, money-lender, and mine promoter and, finally, so as not to rust out with inactivity, a lumber merchant at three-score and five.

Like most of his family line, Mr. Corbin is a positive man; an apostle and exemplar of temperance, has opinions and words to express them; marshals his ideas readily and forcefully on the platform, in which he follows the traditional reputation of his kindred; democrat in politics, religion, and social conditions, by inheritance and choice; free-trader, single-taxer, anti-monopolist, and preacher of the equality of opportunity by precept and practice; reform politician and, as such, candidate for lieutenantgovernor on the Liberal Democratic ticket of New York state in 1898; a thorn in the side of political heelers, hacks, grafters, and chevaliers of industry; independent of party ties when emergency demands, and, despite his strenuous temperament, with an ear acutely attuned to the cry of Such a man is too independent for popular acceptance, too rigid in his views of right and wrong to bend to prevalent prejudices; too confirmed in social equality to do other than battle against special privilege, government by wealth, corporate exactions, and all the multifarious forms through which the earnings of the producer are transferred to the vault of the plutocrat. Such men are needed in a republic to keep our political life on a high Mr. Corbin holds the respect even of those who differ radically from his views. He is a well-known citizen of Gouverneur, N. Y.

- i. ALICE ANNA HILL, b. Jan. 22, 1867; m. Rev. Charles Adolphe Livingston, June 26, 1901. He is an Episcopal clergyman, who has had charges in various places in Northern New York, and a man of great talent and versatility. They have no children.
- ii. Walter Spencer, b. Sept. 12, 1870; m. Lula May Haynen of Prescott, Ont., July 26, 1897. Child: 1. Jay Spencer, b. Jan. 23, 1900.
- iii. LLOYD JAY, b. May 14, 1879. Address Portland, Ore. iv. Percy J., b. Dec. 6, 1880; d. by drowning in the St. Lawrence River at Prescott, Ont., Aug. 18, 1890.

JAY 8. CORBIN, Gouvernour, N. Y.



455. AMASA CORBIN, JR. (Amasa, William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 31, 1843, at Gouverneur, N. Y.; m. Alice A. Thorpe, May 10, 1866. She was b. at Bridgeport, Conn., Dec. 23, 1842, dau. of Peter Meeker and Harriet B. (Hubbell) Thorpe.

Peter M. Thorpe, president of an insurance company at Bridge-port, was b. Aug. 13, 1813, son of Joel Thorpe, a sea captain, and —— Meeker. Harriet B. Hubbell, b. Aug. 26, 1817, was the dau. of Charles B. Hubbell, president of Pequonock Bank, Bridgeport, until his death at the age of 84.

Amasa Corbin was not favored with a military education, but he quaintly says he learned "attention" at District School No. 11, "make ready" at Hopkins Select School at Richville, and to "fire" at Bryant, Stratton & Folsom's College at Albany, and he says he has been "banging away ever since, scattering a good deal and occasionally hitting the bull's eye."

He earned his first dollar trading jack-knives, his second shooting muskrats, his first hundred teaching, and at eighteen became a full-fledged professor in the Burlington Business College. At twenty he was proprietor and half owner of the Bridgeport, Conn., Business College, where he saved up \$4,000, and married. At twenty-two he took an interest in the Bryant & Stratton School at Poughkeepsie in competition with the Eastman College, where he says he "kissed his \$4,000 good-by, in exchange for valuable experience."

. With a handsome horse and a Brewster buggy, the gift of his pupils, as his sole capital, he took up insurance in 1867, and later, with his brother Jay S., at Philadelphia, Pa., gained prominence as a successful organizer and business manager.

In 1879 he became president of the St. Lawrence Mfg. Co., a corporation of his own creation, for the manufacture of the Corbin disc harrow (the invention of Jay S. Corbin), which found a market in every state of the Union and in Austria, Russia, New Zealand, Australia, and South America.

He was one of the pioneers in the great talc industry of his native town, and the first to enlist large capital in the enterprise. He organized the Adirondack Pulp Co. (capital, \$750,000) of which he was president, and this

company subsequently absorbed a number of competing companies and is now known as the International Talc Co., capital stock \$5,000,000.

During the same period he was a breeder of thoroughbred and trotting horses on a small scale at the farm upon which he was born. He also built and equipped the largest creamery in the state, and manufactured the milk of 1,300 cows into butter and cheese; and he found time to serve as president of the Gouverneur Agricultural & Mechanical Society, which he quickly made popular and financially successful.

Since 1897 he has been successfully engaged in the zinc and lead industries of southwestern Missouri, and is credited with having occasioned the great boom there of 1898, when the "Corbin Syndicates" were most active in the purchase of many of the great producing mines of that favored country. He is also interested in the development of a pyrites mine at Gouverneur, for the manufacture of sulphuric acid.

He was the founder of Murray Hill Park (Thousand Islands), upon which is located the Murray Hill Hotel, where the Corbin family reunion of 1904 was held in response to his proffered hospitality.

He was the first and only Democrat to serve his town on the board of supervisors prior to 1904. He was nominated by his party for Congress in 1884, and came within fortytwo votes of being the member of assembly from his district in 1892 — Gouverneur was the Republican stronghold of the banner Republican county (St. Lawrence) of the state.

His home is at Gouverneur, N. Y., and he is widely known as a genial gentleman and a man of extraordinary business ability and good judgment.

- i. ARTHUR FOSTER, b. Aug. 25, 1867. Address Pasadena, Cal.
- ii. ADA THORPE, b. March 10, 1869; d. May 14, 1872.
- iii. HERBERT, b. June 10, 1871; d. Sept. 5, 1871.
- iv. ELVA THORPE, b. Oct. 16, 1872; d. Jan. 16, 1888.
- v. Grace Hattie, b. Aug. 11, 1872.
- vi. AMASA MEEKER, b. June 13, 1877; d. Dec. 26, 1878.
- vii. RALPH HERBERT, b. Sept. 4, 1879; m. Jessie Corwin Onstott, April 20, 1904, at Joplin, Mo. Address Joplin, Mo.

AMASA CORBIN, JR, Gouverneur, N. Y



456. Susan Lavinia Corbin (Amasa, William, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement), b. June 6, 1852; m. Walter Jeffers, Sept. 1, 1875; res. Gouverneur, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. HATTIE PELORA JEFFERS, b. June 6, 1876; d. Feb. 15,
- ii. HENRY CORBIN JEFFERS, b. Nov. 6, 1877; m. Mary St. John, Jan. 5, 1904.
- VINNIE MAUD JEFFERS, b. Nov. 7, 1880; d. Aug. 15, iii. 1895.
- AMASA FRED JEFFERS, b. Jan. 20, 1883.
- CLAUDE JEFFERS, b. Oct. 20, 1885.
- LYNN WALTER JEFFERS, b. Dec. 30, 1887.
- ETHEL EVELYN JEFFERS, b. Sept. 2, 1889.
- viii. MYRTLE VALENTINE JEFFERS, b. Feb. 14, 1892.
- Vivian Zillah Jeffers, b. Nov. 10, 1894.
- 457. GILBERT CORBIN (Asa, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 17, 1829; m. Lucy Ann Harris of Halifax, Vt., Jan. 26, 1853. She was the dau. of Elisha C. and Lucy (McKnight) Harris. They reside at Greenfield, Mass.

#### Children:

- 517. i. CHARLES GILBERT, b. Nov. 21, 1855, in Stamford, Vt.
- 518. ii. Frank Giles, b. March 28, 1862.
- MARY ANN CORBIN (Asa, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. May, 1832; m. Joshua Purrington, Jan. 29, 1850; he was the son of Luther and Eunice (Barber) Purrington of Coleraine, Mass.

- GEORGE WARD PURRINGTON, b. Dec., 1851; d. young.
- ELLA ANN PURRINGTON, b. Aug., 1855; d. young. ii.
- iii. WILLIAM JOSHUA PURRINGTON, b. Aug., 1859; m. Jesse Ward of Buckland, Mass.; one ch., d.
- WARREN CORBIN PURRINGTON, b. 1863; m. Minnie iv. Dryden of Worcester; 2 ch.
- FRANK GILBERT PURRINGTON, b. May, 1867; m. Nan-V. nie Taylor of Buckland, Mass.; 4 ch.
- vi. CURTIS ASA PURRINGTON, b. Jan. 1, 1871; m. Mary Ruddock, Jan. 5, 1898; 1 ch.
- DAVID POTTER CORBIN (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. July 11, 1833; m.

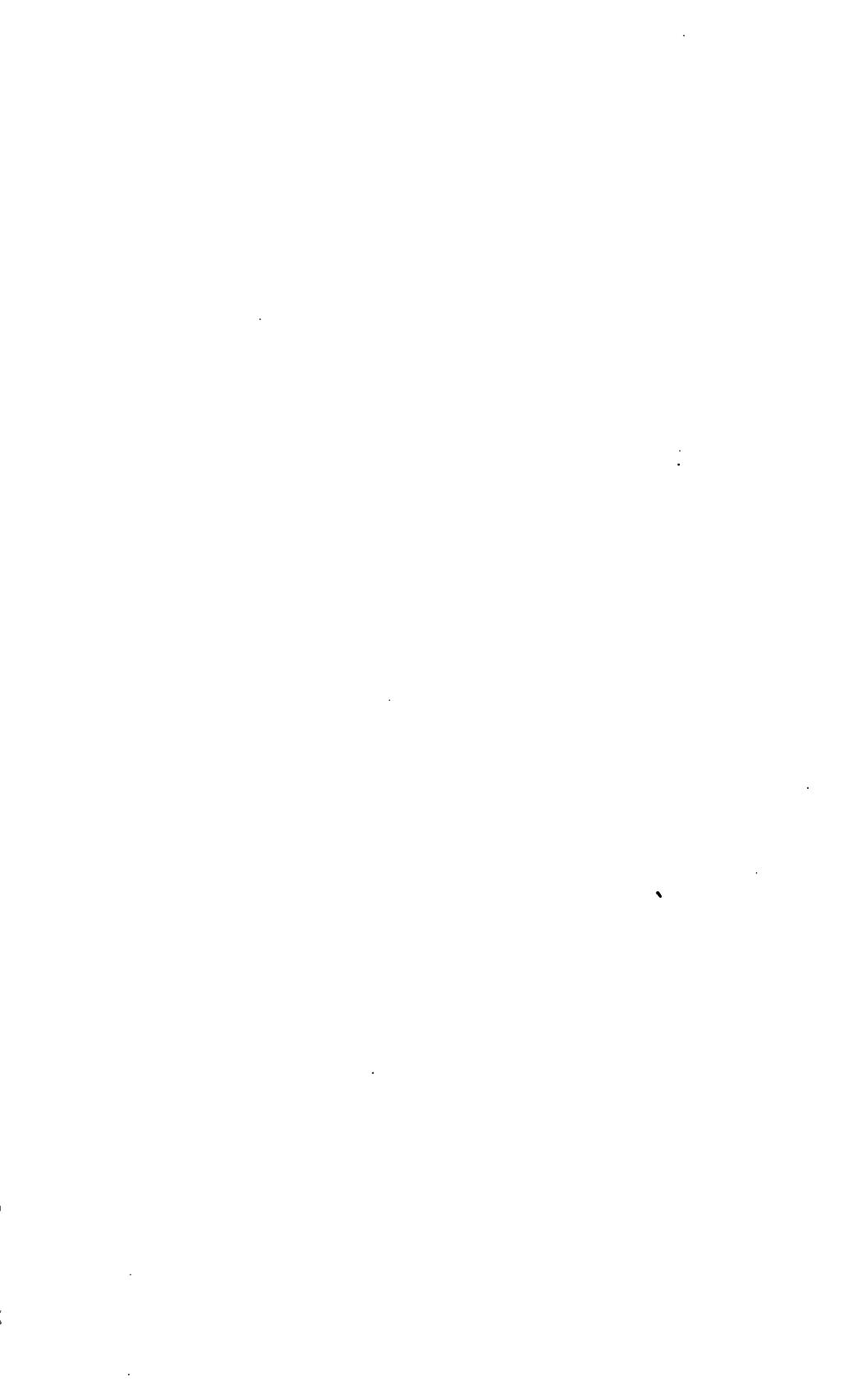
Mary Sheldon of Suffield, Conn., April 26, 1864. She now (1905) resides at 57 Willard St., Hartford, Conn.

David P. Corbin, A.M., obtained his early education in the schools of Union, Conn., his native town, where he attended both the common schools and the "select schools" (i. e., of the grade of high school), which he was instrumental in starting. He taught several terms in the vicinity to earn money for further education, which he pursued at Groton Academy, Mass., Madison University at Hamilton, N. Y. (now Colgate), and the Connecticut Literary Institution at Suffield, Conn. He graduated from Brown University in 1860. He then became a teacher at Suffield until the second year of the war, when the call came for 300,000 men to serve nine months. He was an intense patriot, enlisted himself Aug. 25, 1862, and raised many recruits in Suffield and Union. These were mustered into Co. G of the 22d Regt., of which company Mr. Corbin was appointed 1st lieutenant. This company served for nine months around Washington and Norfolk. On March 2, 1863, Mr. Corbin was promoted captain. The Grand Army Post at Union is named after him, the D. P. Corbin Post, No. 74. After completing his service in the army he resumed teaching, first at Willimantic, where he started a private high school, then at East Hartford, and again at Willimantic from 1865 to 1869, as principal of the Natchaug school. Here as elsewhere he displayed his splendid abilities as a teacher, thoroughly organizing the school, and imparting to the pupils something of his own energy and enthusiasm. But his energy was too much for his health, which was never robust, and he was compelled to rest from teaching for a time. Then he took the position of principal of the West Middle Public School at Hartford, which he held until his death. Here he overcame all opposition, and his excellent qualifications as a man and a teacher won many friends. After several years of successful work he began to be much troubled with pulmonary difficulties and in 1879, with his brother William, went to Colorado to regain his health. But the disease had progressed too far and he died at Larned, Kansas, March 15, 1880. He was buried near his birthplace at Union, Conn., for which town he always cherished a deep affection.

WILLIAM M. CORBIN.

Of Union and Hartford, Conn.





DAVID P. CORBIN.

Hartford, Conn.

## Child:

i. Frank Warren Corbin, b. Jan. 28, 1865; a youth of promise and excellent character, a graduate of the Hartford High School and a student of medicine at the University of New York when he died of quick consumption, June 21, 1886, greatly lamented by all who knew him.

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460. WILLIAM MELVIN CORBIN (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. May 13, 1835, at Union, Conn.; m. Josephine Walker, June 27, 1860. She was the dau. of Harvey and Julia A. (White) Walker, and was b. at Union, March 30, 1841. Harvey Walker was a successful merchant and shoe manufacturer at the village of Mashapaug in Union, Conn., a most worthy and true Christian man.

William M. Corbin received his education in the common and select schools of Union, and then went into business in 1853 with Walker, Sessions & Co. of Mashapaug. After the death of Mr. Walker in 1860, Mr. Corbin became the head of the firm, until the business was discontinued in 1881. In addition to an active business life he took great interest in public affairs, and held many offices as selectman, representative in the legislature of 1868, state senator in 1875, deputy sheriff from 1862 to 1880, and sheriff of Tolland County from 1881 to 1884. was a delegate to the Republican convention in Chicago that nominated James G. Blaine in 1884. He was a strong Republican and a leader in the party, both in town and state. He joined the Congregational Church at Union in 1859 and was a leading member and liberal contributor. In 1881 he took his family to Hartford for educational purposes, where they have since resided.

In 1884 his health became very poor from Bright's disease and for three years he was compelled to give up active business life. He found relief, however, and was called in 1887 to the presidency of the Savings Bank of Stafford Springs, Conn., which was then in an embarrassed condition. He straightened out the affairs of the bank and helped to restore the confidence of the community in it. In July, 1888, he became cashier of the First National Bank of Stafford Springs, in which position he continued until his death. His high character and honorable busi-

ness record did much to put these institutions on a sound and strong footing with the full confidence of the people. At his death both of these banks passed resolutions recognizing the value of his services. In 1888, with others, he organized the Central Woolen Co. of Stafford Springs, which has done a successful business.

Mr. Corbin was always interested in the welfare of his native town of Union. In 1876 he took the leading part in arranging for a large and successful historical celebration and reunion of old families. In 1892-3 he worked in connection with the present writer, who did the literary work, to secure the completion and publication of "The History of Union, Conn.," a fine town history of about 500 pages, the material for which had been largely gathered by a native of the town, Rev. Charles Hammond of Monson, Mass. Mr. Corbin took the financial responsibility for the work, raising a guarantee fund and looking after the sale of the book.

He died March 21, 1894, at his residence at 57 Willard St., Hartford, and was buried at Union. Mrs. Corbin resides at 176 Collins St., Hartford.

## Children:

519. i. WILLIAM HERBERT, b. July 20, 1864.

520. ii. Annie Laura, b. March 31, 1867.

iii. JUNIUS BENJAMIN, b. Oct. 9, 1869; is now in business with his uncle, John Corbin, at 27 W. 24th St., New York; they carry on the business of the Tompkins-Corbin Co., of which he is the vice-president. This company has met with great success in the cure of Bright's disease, diabetes, etc.

- iv. Harvey Walker, b. May 10, 1872; grad. from the Hartford High School in 1890. Since that time he has been with the Connecticut Trust & Safe Deposit Co., at 777 Main St., Hartford, where he is now head bookkeeper. He m. Ethel Lydia Twiss, June 16, 1903. Res. Sargeant St., Hartford, Conn. Child:
  - 1. MARION WALKER, b. Aug. 19, 1904.
- 461. Charles Mason Corbin (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. April 1, 1840, at Union, Conn.; m. Marguerite Allison Spendlove of New York, June 4, 1868; she was b. Oct. 22, 1843. He entered Brown University, but enlisted there in 1862 for three months in Co. B, 10th Regt. R. I. Infantry.

He was for many years engaged in the millinery busi-

CHARLES M. CORBIN.

Philadelphia, Pa.



ness at Philadelphia with S. S. Corbin & Co. (see under No. 288), but from 1890 was the agent there for the Tompkins-Corbin Co. He is now doing a large business in manufacturing disinfectants under the firm name, "The Corbin Disinfecting Co.," at 229 S. Front St., Philadelphia, and resides at Lansdowne, Pa. He has been for several years a director and treasurer of the Lansdowne School Board, and president of a "Neighbors Club" at Lansdowne since 1894.

## Children:

- i. HARRY SQUIRE, b. March 22, 1869; d. April 30, 1902.ii. EDITH ALLISON, b. Sept. 15, 1885.
- 462. JOHN WARREN CORBIN (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. July 7, 1844, at Union, Conn.; he was educated at the schools in his native town, one term at Providence, R. I., and two years at the Connecticut Literary Institution at Suffield, Conn., from which point he enlisted in the 22d Regt. Conn. Volunteers, of which his brother David was lieutenant. went into camp at Hartford, but on account of the serious illness of his father, Frank Walker of Union was secured as a substitute, answering to the name of J. W. Corbin, until his death. Mr. Corbin afterwards taught school, and then was engaged in business for himself in Willimantic and Providence. From that point in 1874 he went to Europe, where he traveled extensively in the interests of the Atlantic Tubing Co. of Providence, going even to St. Petersburg, and making a very successful business and pleasure trip. Later he arranged to travel for the Howe Scale Co. of Philadelphia, with whom he remained for three years. He then took charge of the southern business of the Howe Scale Co. of New York, which position he successfully held for eight years, spending eight months of each year in the southern states.

In 1890 he became interested in the Tompkins Cures for Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and formed the Tompkins Bright's Disease Cure Co., of which he was the manager up to the date of the incorporation of the Tompkins-Corbin Co., Sept. 1, 1900, of which he became President. His present headquarters are at No. 27 W. 24th St., New York city.

Mr. Corbin has never married. He is a warm friend of his native town of Union, and of the Baptist Church at North Ashford. In 1902 he presented a soldiers' monument to the town, which was dedicated on Memorial Day, 1902, with impressive ceremonies and a large attendance, including many old residents. This monument is unique in paying a just and eminently proper tribute to the mothers who gave their sons to the service of the country, as well as to the surviving soldiers, as the inscription shows:

"Dedicated in grateful memory to the mothers who gave their sons, to the soldiers who gave their lives, and to those who, daring to die, survived the War of the Rebellion, 1861-1865."

463. Myron Milton Corbin (Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 13, 1837, at Woodstock, Conn.; went to Kansas with his mother's family in 1857; m. 1st, Augusta Ayres, April 29, 1866, in Linn Co., Kansas. She d. June 5, 1867. He m. 2d, Lizzie Linton, April 14, 1869, in Mound City, Kansas. She was b. at Wilmington, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1845, the dau. of David and Ann (Thomas) Linton.

After going to Kansas he located on a homestead in Linn County. He and his three brothers were known as Free State men in the border warfare between the slavery and anti-slavery parties, and they were frequently in danger from parties of pro-slavery marauders. Myron was at one time associated with John Brown of Osawatomie. He enlisted in 1861 in the 12th Kansas Volunteer Regiment and served continuously until 1865. He lived on his farm in Linn County until his removal to Lawrence, Kan., in 1888. He d. there Nov. 26, 1900.

- i. ALBERTA LINTON, b. April 24, 1870; took the degree of B.A. from the University of Kansas in 1893, Ph.D. from Yale University in 1901; studied in Germany in 1901; a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society; has been assistant professor of German in the University of Kansas since 1901. Res. 1108 Ohio St., Lawrence, Kansas.
- ii. ELFRIDA LINTON, b. Dec. 30, 1872; d. Nov. 26, 1874. 521. iii. ARTHUR LINTON, b. Oct. 17, 1874 (see later).
  - iv. CLARA AUGUSTA, b. June 16, 1877; d. Nov. 6, 1886, in Linn Co., Kan.

JOHN W. CORBIN.

New York City.



464. Byron Bruce Corbin (Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 14, 1840, at Woodstock, Conn.; went to Kansas in 1857; m. Emma Vertrees, April 13, 1880, at Mound City, Kan. She was b. June 7, 1858, at Perry, Ill., the dau. of C. M. and Mary J. Vertrees. He is in the hardware business at Mound City, Kansas.

## Children:

- i. Bessie Beatrice, b. Sept. 15, 1881; grad. at Mound City High School 1900.
- JESSIE SUMNER. b. April 16, 1886; grad. Mound City ii. High School 1904.
- iii. Byron Charles, b. Dec. 30, 1887.

465. NATHAN ALBERT CORBIN (Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 7, 1843, at Woodstock, Conn.; went to Kansas in 1857; m. 1st, Mary Eliza Robinson, July 18, 1877, at Fort Scott, Kan. She d. Nov. 22, 1887; m. 2d, Ida Robinson, Sept. 12, 1890, at Blue Mound, Kan. She was b. Nov. 20, 1861, in Warren Co., Ill., the dau. of Joseph and Mary Robinson.

He served three years in the Civil War in Co. K, 45th Ill. Regt., and was with Sherman in his march to the sea. He has lived since the war on a ranch at Blue Mound, Kan.

Child:

- i. NATHANA, b. June 27, 1899, at Blue Mound, Kan.
- **466.** Harvey Amos Corbin (Amos, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 19, 1822, in E. Henrietta, N. Y.; m. Matilda Gallup, May 19, 1823, in Albany Co., N. Y.; she was the dan. of Eli and Sally (Crarry) Gallup, and was b. Oct. 27, 1847, near Brockport, N. Y. He was a farmer at Parma, Monroe Co., N. Y., until 1868, when he removed to a farm at Muir, Mich., where he still lives. Matilda G. Corbin d. Jan. 20, 1894, while on a visit in Gratiot Co., Mich.

# Children b. at Parma, N. Y.:

- HARLAN ELI, b. July 21, 1848; unm.; resides with his father.
- GEORGE HARVEY, b. Oct. 8, 1851. 522. ii.

- iii. Elmer Amos, b. Nov. 22, 1854; m. Emma Estella Ross, Nov. 18, 1891, near' Muir, Mich. She was b. March 23, 1869. He was educated in business college and Normal School. Now resides at Muir, Mich. Children:
  - 1. NINA BELLE, b. May 12, 1893.
  - 2. Lolo GLADYS, b. Feb. 2, 1901.
- 467. ELIJAH NEWELL CORBIN (Amos, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 18, 1827. He went overland to California in 1852 to seek his fortune; established a ranch there, and now lives at Madison, Yolo Co., Cal.

#### Children:

- i. NEWELL S., a farmer.
- ii. Julian, a law student.
- 468. Mary Corbin (Amos, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 28, 1831; m. Edward C. Johnson, son of James and Elizabeth Johnson. He was a farmer at Angola, Ind., where he d. March 5, 1899. Mrs. Johnson resides at Angola.

#### Children:

- i. Elmer A. Johnson, d. in infancy.
- ii. Cyrenius Johnson, d. in infancy.

- 469. Augusta Corbin (Whitman, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. April 10, 1843; m. Joseph E. Anderson, Jan. 21, 1863; he was b. May 11, 1833, in Lincolnshire, Eng., the son of Richard and Betsey (Bellamy) Anderson. He came to America at the age of twenty-three and settled at Parma, Monroe Co., N. Y., where he owns and operates a fine fruit farm.

## Children:

i. Myron B. Anderson, b. Dec. 14, 1863; m. Lottie Tyler, Feb. 27, 1889. He is a farmer. Ch.: Leon, b. Oct. 19, 1890; Matie, b. Oct. 9, 1892; Willis, b. Jan. 19, 1894; Laura, b. April 28, 1896; Charles, b. Dec. 25, 1897; Mary, b. Feb. 22, 1899; and Fred, b. Sept. 16, 1902.

- ii. ARTHUR RICHARD ANDERSON, b. Aug. 16, 1866; is a lawyer at Rochester; m. Grace Tomlinson, Oct. 5, 1904.
- iii. CLARA E. ANDERSON, b. July 13, 1868; m. Herbert E. Tenney. Res. Hilton, N. Y. Ch.: Floyd A., b. Nov. 16, 1889; Gladys May, b. Nov. 25, 1891; and Harold E., b. Oct. 1, 1893.

iv. George J. Anderson, b. July 10, 1870; m. Myra Cosman, March 7, 1901; ch.: Ralph, b. May 12,

1903; Ward, b. Oct. 17, 1897.

- v. ALTHA A. ANDERSON, b. July 30, 1872; m. Charles Garnet of Traverse City, Mich., Oct. 26, 1897; he is a machinist; they have one child, Lucile, b. 1898.
- vi. EDWARD F. ANDERSON, b. March 18, 1875; m. Minnie Curtiss, Jan. 23, 1895. Ch.: Lester, b. Oct., 1895; Ruth, b. July 25, 1897.
- vii. MARY C. ANDERSON, b. Nov. 8, 1877; she is a dress-maker.
- 470. Henry C. Corbin (Whitman, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. June 2, 1845, at Hamlin, N. Y.; m. Julia S. Whyland, dau. of John and Ilura (Amidon) Whyland, Dec. 3, 1868, at Parma Center, N. Y. They had two children. She d. Sept. 29, 1871, at Meadville, Mo. He m. 2d, Ellada E. Files, dau. of Lewis and Elizabeth M. (Cooper) Files, Oct., 1884. She was b. Feb. 21, 1865, at Clarkson, N. Y., and d. April 17, 1895, at Parma Center, N. Y. He is an officer in the county house at Rochester.

Children of 1st wife, b. at Meadville, Mo.:

- i. LILLIAN G., b. Sept. 3, 1869; d. Dec. 3, 1875, at N. Parma, N. Y.
- ii. J. ARVILLA, b. Sept. 12, 1871; m. Perry Diver at Hilton (formerly N. Parma), N. Y., about 1902.

Children of 2d wife, b. at Parma Center, N. Y.:

- iii. Lewis W., b. Feb. 21, 1886; is now in the Brockport State Normal School.
- iv. ESTELLE E., b. Feb. 8, 1888.
- v. MABEL A., b. March 20, 1890.
- 471. Harley W. Corbin (Whitman, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. April 3, 1849; m. Jennie Wake, Feb. 16, 1881, at Hilton, N. Y.; she was b. March 11, 1856. He was engaged in farming at Clarkson, N. Y., for six years, and in 1887 moved to Medina, N. Y., where he remained until 1904, when he removed to Rochester, where his family lives at 47 Grand Ave.

#### Children:

i. Lemia May, b. Jan. 1, 1884, in Clarkson, N. Y.; graduated from the Medina High School.

ii. MARY AUGUSTA, b. Nov. 11, 1889, in Medina, N. Y.

472. Lucius Brace Corbin (Calvin Luther, Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 13, 1842; m. Annie Elizabeth Leaton, May 26, 1874.

He is a farmer at Carlinville, Ill., the proprietor of the "Oak Hill Farm," where he raises and deals in Percheron horses, shorthorn cattle, Shropshire sheep, Langshan and Buff Wyandotte chickens, and White Holland turkeys.

#### Children:

523. i. PAUL LEATON, b. Sept. 28, 1875.

ii. James Baker, b. July 16, 1877.

iii. CLARA RUTH, b. Nov. 5, 1879; m. Fred B. Leach, Dec. 18, 1901. Children:

1. JOHN CORBIN LEACH, b. Feb. 13, 1903.

2. CLARIBEL LEACH, b. July 14, 1904.

iv. SARAH EUNICE, b. March 20, 1885.

v. Edward Lucius, b. March 6, 1888.

vi. Annie Laura, b. June 16, 1890.

vii. ALICE HOWARD, b. March 23, 1892.

473. Eunice A. Corbin (Ezra W., Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 7, 1828; m. 1st, Geo. W. Kirby, son of Joseph and Sally (Corbin) Kirby; 2d, Charles J. Humphrey. They live at Bainbridge, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. CHARLES B. HUMPHREY, b. 1856; m. Alice Sherwood. Child:
  - 1. KATHERINE HUMPHBEY, b. 1899.
- ii. MINNIE HUMPHREY, b. 1860.
- 474. George Richard Corbin (Ezra W., Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 16, 1830; m. 1st, Martha Merritt; 2d, Olivia Dart. Lived in Bainbridge, N. Y.

- i. Sylvester, res. Cal.
- ii. JENNIE, d. in Cal.
- iii. LAURA AUGUSTA, res. Tenn.
- 475. CHARLES EMMET CORBIN (Ezra W., Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. July 30, 1833, at

Bainbridge, N. Y.; m. Sarah Edsell Mitchell at Mitchell's, Tioga Co., Pa., Nov. 26, 1862. She was b. there Feb. 23, 1842. He was a merchant at Corning, N. Y., where he d. June, 1898.

## Children:

i. JESSIE ELLEN, b. Nov. 11, 1863, at Troy, Pa.

ii. JENNIE ESTELLE, b. July 12, 1855, at Troy; m. Charles B. Chandler.

iii. WILLIAM MITCHELL, b. Jan. 17, 1870, at Corning, N. Y.; a train despatcher at Corning.

iv. CHARLES EMMET, Jr., b. May 25, 1877, at Corning; d. there April 15, 1881.

476. STEPHEN GIRARD CORBIN (Ezra W., Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 5, 1835; m. Annette Van Horne, Oct. 25, 1857. Res. Bainbridge. He d. Feb. 13, 1865. She m. 2d, John Gardenier, and d. 1903.

## Children:

i. Frederick, b. May 31, 1861; d. Sept. 23, 1879.

ii. Almeda, b. Oct. 17, 1858; d. Dec. 27, 1868.

iii. HATTIE, b. April 25, 1865; m. Huyler Scott of Athens, Pa.

477. WILLIAM HENRY CORBIN (Ezra, Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 2, 1842; m. Eunice A. Mosher at N. Sanford, N. Y., March 16, 1863. She was b. Feb. 19, 1843, the dau. of Alfred T. and Amy (Wilbur) Mosher. He resides at Bainbridge, N. Y., where he is a farmer. All the children graduated from the Bainbridge High School.

## Children:

i. ALFRED EZRA, b. Sept. 12, 1864; m. Mary M. Brown, Oct. 19, 1887. Ch.: Jessie Iola, b. July 9, 1889; was with D. & H. R. R. Co. twenty-two years; is now a merchant at Binghamton, N. Y.

ii. ALLEN W., b. March 25, 1866; m. and has one dau.,
Bessie Gertrude; is head telegraph operator of the
D. & H. R. R. Co. at Carbondale, Pa.; m. Gertrude

Starkweather, Dec. 15, 1897.

iii. Josephine E., b. July 15, 1867; grad. at Bainbridge High School and at the Oneonta Normal College; has since taught and is now principal of a public school at New Rochelle, N. Y.

iv. CHARLES M., b. June 23, 1870; m. Lillian Hadow, April 25, 1894. Ch.: Vivian Esther, b. Dec. 15,

1896. He is clerk in the freight dept. of the D. &

H. R. R. Co. at Albany, N. Y.

v. Homer W., b. Sept. 30, 1877; grad. at B. High School; was in the commission business at New York for a time; m. Alice Houghland, Dec. 23, 1900; d. April 5, 1901.

478. Devillo White Corbin (William, Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 8, 1835; m. Emeline La Fancy Mosher, Jan. 20, 1859. He is a farmer at Bainbridge, N. Y.

## Children:

i. Isabel, b. Sept. 24, 1859; m. Rev. Urie Mitchell. a Universalist minister, April 9, 1889; she resides at Gouverneur, N. Y.

ii. JESSIE, b. May 16, 1862; m. Charles Hynds, Oct. 18, 1882; he was a hardware merchant at Bainbridge, where he d., April 27, 1897. She resides at Bainbridge. Children:

1. HAROLD HYNDS, b. Sept. 19, 1888.

2. Blanch Hynds, b. July 22, 1883.

iii. RALPH WILLIAM, b. Dec. 16, 1865; m. Laura Teed, Oct. 28, 1896; he resides with his father at Bainbridge. Children:

1. WARREN, b. Dec. 22, 1897.

2. LAURA EMELINE, b. July 6, 1899.

iv. Lizzie, b. Oct. 27, 1867; m. David Ward Lewis, Sept. 16, 1890. He is a commission merchant in New York; they reside at 430. Cumberland St., Brooklyn. Children:

1. DAVID LEWIS, b. July 9, 1892.

- 2. Corbin Devillo Lewis, b. July 28, 1894.
- 3. EMELYN LOUISE LEWIS, b. Dec. 24, 1895.
- 479. FRANK JEROME CORBIN (William W., Sylvester, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. April 8, 1849; m. Charlotte A. Schofield, Oct. 2, 1872. They lived at Bennettsville, N. Y. He d. Aug. 27, 1876.

## Child:

- i. Julian G., b. Oct. 1, 1873; m. Mary Elizabeth Payne. July 2, 1902; she was b. Feb. 15, 1878, the dau. of Elmer B. and Theodora (Bartlett) Payne. He is in the life insurance business at Bainbridge, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. Theodora Charlotte, b. April 5, 1903.
- 480. CHARLES ALLEN CORBIN (Robert, Samuel. Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. July 22, 1850, at Afton, N. Y.; m. Monemia MacBain, Jan. 15, 1873, at Water-

vliet, N. Y.; she was the dau. of George and Tryphosa (Mann) MacBain. C. A. Corbin is a wholesale dealer in eggs at Binghamton, N. Y.

# Children b. at Otego, N. Y.:

- i. Charles Ralph, b. May 29, 1875; m. Lilla Isabel Hawkes, dau. of Dexter and Jane (Ross) Hawkes, June 15, 1899, at Binghamton. He is a bookkeeper with his father.
- ii. STANLEY DOUGLASS, b. Feb. 21, 1881; d. Jan. 2, 1882.
- iii. PEARL VIVIAN, b. May 30, 1886.
- iv. WINFRED MACBAIN, b. March 1, 1888.
- 481. EVA A. CORBIN (Robert, Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 3, 1856, at Afton, N. Y.; m. John Birdsall Pierce, son of Richard Gibbs and Anne A. Pierce, Nov. 14, 1877, at Afton. He is a lumber dealer at Carmen, N. Y., where they reside.

# Children b. at Afton, N. Y.:

- i. RICHARD GIBBS PIERCE, b. Dec. 30, 1878; m. Lena Agnes Shepherd, dau. of Franklin and Chloe (Rowe) Shepherd, Aug. 20, 1901, at Sidney, N. Y. He is a bookkeeper at Carmen, N. Y.
- ii. PAUL CORBIN PIERCE, b. May 11, 1880; m. Lena Susie Dorwin, Oct. 29, 1904, at Schenectady, N. Y.
- iii. Frank John Pierce, b. July 15, 1884; is a student at Carmen, N. Y.
- 482. AMELIA E. CORBIN (Lyman B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 31, 1838; m. Nehemiah Miller, Dec. 26, 1860, at Dryden, N. Y. He was b. Aug. 26, 1833, and d. May 13, 1898. He was a farmer at Hart, Mich., where he moved in March, 1861, clearing a farm in the wilderness.

- i. Eddie B. Miller, b. April 30, 1862; d. March 28, 1866.
- ii. MARY L. MILLER, b. Aug. 14, 1865; is a teacher in the public schools.
- iii. LE Rox MILLER, b. Sept. 22, 1879; d. March 12, 1900.
- 483. HELEN A. CORBIN (Lyman B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Dec. 10, 1841; m. Luther Wellington Hart of Harford, Cortland Co., N. Y., March 6, 1861. He was b. Sept. 9, 1838, and d. April 30, 1895. He settled on a farm in Hart, Mich.

#### Children:

i. LYMAN B. HART, b. Dec. 4, 1861; m. Hannah Tromater; d. July 28, 1892; 1 ch.

ii. GEORGE R. HART, b. April 25, 1863; m. Una Hen-

ricks, April 25, 1890; 4 ch.

iii. MINNIE HART, b. July 4, 1866; m. John Lee, in 1885; he is in the commission business; two sons, one d.

iv. LUTHER W. HART, b. Nov. 1, 1871; m. Nancy Wyckoff, 1894; a farmer; no ch.

484. IDA I. CORBIN (Lyman B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 5, 1849, at Dryden, N. Y.; m. Melvin A. Luther of Groton, Tompkins Co., N. Y., Aug. 5, 1866, at Hart, Mich., being the first couple married there. He had been a soldier in the 76th N. Y. Vols. in the Civil War and was wounded at South Mountain, Md. They cleared a farm at Hart, where they now live.

#### Children:

i. Ernest L. Luther, b. Sept. 25, 1868; grad. from Hart High School with highest honors, and from Olivet College in 1895, also with highest honors. He is a very successful teacher, having taught seven years in Kolkasha, Mich., and two years in Eaton Rapids, Mich., and is now superintendent of schools at Ripon, Wis. He m. Lula M. Eddy of Rockford, Ill.; 2 ch.

ii. Fred A. Luther, b. Sept. 29, 1874; educated at Hart High School and Olivet College. Is now in the lumber business at Hart; m. Vernon Hanson,

Aug., 1903.

iii. MARTIN E. LUTHER, b. Dec. 28, 1881; educated in Hart High School and in University of Michigan, taking the course in pharmacy; is now a pharmacist at Kalamazoo, Mich.

Two other children d. in infancy.

485. FRED LYMAN CORBIN (Lyman B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 3, 1858; m. Laura E. Collins, Feb. 10, 1881, in Hart, Mich.

- i. GLEN L., b. July 24. 1885; d. May 1, 1886.
- ii. Edna J., b. Dec. 10, 1886.
- iii. Robert Earl, b. Jan. 4, 1889.
- iv. FLORENCE MAY, b. May 18, 1891.
- v. Ernest Glen, b. March 18, 1894.
- 486. FRANK CORBIN (Lyman, Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 30, 1860, at Dryden, N. Y.;

m. Maggie Jane Kenney, July 3, 1887. She was b. Sept. 29, 1864, at New York. He is a merchant in New York, dealing in fruits and produce. Address, 115 W. 89th St.

## Children:

- i. LYMAN THOMAS. b. March 31, 1888.
- ii. HENRY HUBERT, b. Feb. 27, 1890.
- 487. Webb Corbin (Lyman B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 13, 1862, at Dryden, N. Y.; m. Mary Emergene Mott at Dryden, Feb. 18, 1885. She was b. Dec. 3, 1862, the dau. of Samuel and Mary (Reed) Mott. Webb Corbin was educated at the Dryden High School and taught several years. He is a farmer at Dryden, N. Y., a director of the Dryden Agricultural Society, of the Dryden Telephone Co., and of the First National Bank, and supervisor of the town of Dryden.

## Children:

- i. HATTIE LOUISE, b. March 3, 1886.
- ii. RUTH MARY, b. Oct. 15, 1898.
- 488. James Joseph Corbin (Joseph B., Samuel, Samuel, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Jan. 19, 1845; m. Clara E. Church, Jan. 9, 1871, at Nineveh, N. Y. She was b. July 1, 1851, the dau. of Levi and Elethear (Works) Church. He is a farmer at Afton, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. Louis L. Corbin, b. June 21, 1872; m. Lottie B. Warner, who was b. June 15, 1879. Ch.: Wayne Louis, b. Sept. 25, 1903.
- ii. Frank A. Corbin, b. June 10, 1889.
- 489. Levi Gates Corbin (Simeon B., Benjamin, Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Aug. 2, 1846; m. Eliza L. Wellington, Dec. 31, 1874, at Fitchburg, by Rev. W. W. Colburn. She was dau. of Oliver and Nancy (Francis) Wellington of Rutland. He resides in Worcester, Mass., where he was for some time in the business department of the Worcester Spy.

## Child:

i. Frank Wellington, b. Nov. 13, 1876, at Fitchburg; d. Feb. 24, 1877, at Fitchburg.

- 490. Francis Bowen Corbin (Simeon B., Benjamin, Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Feb. 25, 1848, in Holden, Mass. While quite young his parents removed to Tatnuck, Mass.; he was educated here and at Worcester, Mass. M. Ellen Clarinda Lisherness, dau. of Charles R. and Abigail (Blackwood) Lisherness, Oct. 9, 1873. He was for sixteen years employed with the U. S. and Canada Express Co., mostly as train messenger between Boston and Troy, N. Y. Since 1883 he has resided on a fruit farm at Sebastopol, Sonoma Co., Cal. They have no children.
- 491. George Henry Corbin (Benjamin, Benjamin, Robert, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 28, 1855, at Guilford, Conn.; m. Ruth Genevieve Slayton, Feb. 27, 1879, at Hardwick, Otsego Co., N. Y.; she was the dau. of Alonzo H. and Caroline (Luce) Slayton. George H. Corbin was a druggist at New Haven, Conn., and a member of the Pharmaceutical Association in 1879. He removed to Sebastopol, Cal., in April, 1887, where he was postmaster from 1897 to 1901, and where he now resides.

#### Child:

- i. George Benjamin, b. April 24, 1882, at New Haven, Conn.; m. Ida Jane Hardin, Dec. 17, 1902, at Petaluma, Sonoma Co., Cal.; she was the dau. of Henry Andrew Hardin. George B. Corbin was a student in the department of pharmacy in the University of Cal., and was employed as chemist in San Francisco.
- 492. Charles Clinton Corbin (Larned, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 19, 1843, in Eastford, Conn.; m. Gertrude M. Harvey, Oct. 1, 1871, in Holland, Mass.; she was b. Sept. 28, 1852, the dau. of John Harvey of Woodstock. They lived first in Woodstock, then moved to Thompson, where they have lived since 1877.

#### Children:

i. EDWARD C., b. Sept. 23. 1872; he was a traveling salesman for various firms for several years, and for the past ten years has been engaged in the papering and decorating business; he resides at

EDWARD C. CORBIN, Mariboro, Mass.

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Marlboro, Mass., and has taken much interest in securing material for this work.

- ii. Annie M., b. Nov. 4, 1874; m. Edward F. White, Aug. 28, 1890, in Thompson, Conn., where they live. Children:
  - 1. FLORENCE M. WHITE, b. March 17, 1891.
  - 2. LULU J. WHITE, b. June 1, 1892; d. young.
  - 3. ALEXANDER WHITE, b. April 10, 1895.
  - 4. Annie M. White, b. May 28, 1896.
  - 5. EARL E. WHITE, b. June 12, 1897.
  - 6. RALPH E. WHITE, b. Aug. 19, 1899.
  - 7. Bessie E. White, b. Aug. 23, 1901.
  - 8. JESSIE N. WHITE, b. Dec. 19, 1902.
  - 9. Roy D. White, b. May 24, 1904.
- iii. May F., b. Sept. 23, 1876; m. —, Aug. 31, 1898.
- iv. ADA B., b. Nov. 19, 1877; m. Michael Welch of Southbridge, Mass., March 21, 1901; they live in Southbridge. Child:
  - 1. THOMAS U. WELCH. b. May 8, 1902.
- v. Larned Roland, b. Dec. 19, 1880; m. Francis M. Wells of Ashford, Conn., Sept. 17, 1892, in Thompson, Conn. They live in Ashford, where she was b. April 4, 1881.
- vi. HARRISON E., b. Dec. 17, 1881.
- vii. Hannah A., b. June 6, 1884; m. Joseph Bromley of Voluntown, Conn., Nov. 6, 1903, in Thompson; they live in Webster, Mass.
- viii. Byron B., b. Jan. 11, 1885; d. Aug., 1885.
- ix. IDA J., b. Oct. 1, 1886; d. Aug. 16, 1888.
- x. BESSIE E., b. Feb. 19, 1890.
- xi. CORA L., b. Nov. 19, 1892.
- 493. EMILY H. CORBIN (Larned, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. May 11, 1845, in Woodstock; m. Joseph Mills, March 5, 1862, in Westford, Conn.

- i. Frank J. Mills, b. Aug. 27, 1865; m. Juliet E. Brown, Nov. 7, 1891, at Douglas, Mass.; resides at Uxbridge, Mass.
- ii. ALBERT L. MILLS, b. April 16, 1867; m. Gertrude Thompson of Hampton, Conn., June, 1892, at Hampton.
- iii. CARRIE M., b. April 3, 1869; m. Henry Bickford, March 6, 1899, in Eastford, Conn.; they live at Elliots, Conn.
- iv. CALVIN R. MILLS, b. April 3, 1869.
- v. George W. Mills, b. June 25, 1872; m. Jessie McLean, Nov. 7, 1898, in Medfield, Mass., where they live.
- vi. JENNIE F. MILLS, b. Jan. 31, 1874; m. Irving C. Hopkins, Jan. 12, 1891, in Pomfret, Conn.
- vii. HATTIE E. MILLS, b. March 3, 1876; m. Charles E. Pike of Abington, Conn., March 12, 1892, in Central Village, Conn.

- viii. FANNIE E. MILLS, b. March 13, 1879; m. Myron Lyon, March 25, 1897, in Pomfret, Conn.; they live at Elliots, Conn.
- ix. Bessie B. Mills, b. Dec. 24, 1880; d. Feb. 7, 1881.
- x. Horace Mills, b. March 10, 1882.

494. George A. Corbin (Larned, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 17, 1849, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. Caroline B. Jeffers, Dec. 19, 1872, at Woodstock; she was b. July 16, 1853, in Providence, R. I. They lived in Woodstock until 1877, when they moved to Burrillville, R. I., and now reside in Pascoag, R. I.

## Children:

- i. CARRIE E., b. Jan. 7, 1874; d. Oct. 27, 1875, in Woodstock.
- ii. Effie C., b. Dec. 20, 1876, in Woodstock.
- iii. GEORGE B., b. Feb. 5, 1881, in Burrillville, R. I.; m. Eva M. Deverall, Aug. 8, 1903, in Pascoag, R. I.; she was b. April 20, 1881, in Pascoag, R. I.
- iv. MAUDE E., b. Oct. 6, 1885, in Burrillville; m. George H. Verity, Aug. 8, 1903, in Pascoag, R. I.; he was b. in Westerton, West Ardsley, England, Oct. 16, 1878; they live in Pascoag, R. I.
- v. Francis M., b. Sept. 7, 1890, in Burrillville.

495. ALBERT H. CORBIN (Larned, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement), b. June 19, 1852, in Woodstock, Conn.; m. Ella M. Bowers, June 30, 1878, in Putnam, Conn.; she was b. March 4, 1857, at E. Longmeadow, Mass. They lived in Woodstock and Ponfret and then moved to Medfield, Mass., where they lived since 1890.

- i. FIDELIA A., b. July 10, 1880, in Worcester, Mass.
- ii. FLORA A., b. Nov. 24, 1885, in Pomfret, Conn.



Prof. WILLIAM L. CORBIN, Aurora, N. Y. 1904.

# EIGHTH GENERATION.

496. WILLIAM L. CORBIN (John Leroy, Ira W., Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), b. Jan. 8, 1872, at Athens, Pa.; m. Ethel Christina Olin, dau. of Harvey Church Olin, Dec. 15, 1904, at East Orange, N. J. He prepared for college at the Homer Academy, Homer, N. Y., entered Amherst in 1892 and graduated, cum laude, in 1896, being poet of his class. He was a graduate student of English at Yale, 1896-1897; principal of the Union School at Canaseraga, N. Y., 1897-1899; librarian of the Norfolk (Conn.) Public Library, 1899-1902; received the degree of A.M. from Yale in 1900; was head of the English department of the Cascadilla School at Ithaca, N. Y., 1902-1904; is now instructor in English in Wells College, Aurora, N. Y.

Prof. Corbin has written several poems of merit. The following appeared just after the death of McKinley:

#### OUR FALLEN RULER.

The brief uncertain watching time is o'er,

The last great change has come,

The nation's voice is dumb,

Struck by the grief that broods from shore to shore.

One people with one grief! Bowed to the will Of him who knows the years,
They wait till good appears
Rising benignant from the seeming ill.

A martyr to the cause of liberty,
A kindly, God-led man,
Loyal American,
Felled by the lawless hand of anarchy!

Far-seeing, calm, and resolute he stood—
A lover to the end—.

Making his foe his friend,

Pointing his country to a broader good.

With Lincoln and with Garfield let him rest, And with them let him be Shrined in the memory

Forever of the nation he loved best.

Norfolk, Conn.

W. L. CORBIN.

497. HARMON A. CORBIN (Milo H., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 25, 1855, at Clarksville, N. Y.; m. Myra E. Miner, June 7, 1876. She was b. Jan. 31, 1855, at Angelica, N. Y., being the dau. of Asher W. and Electa Miner. Harmon Corbin received his education in the schools at Friendship, and afterwards taught several terms. After his marriage he was on a farm for seventeen years. In 1890 he entered the hardware business, which he carried on for three years. Since that time he has been connected with various interests. He is president of the Sash, Door & Blind Co. of Friendship, which he organized, and which employs from 80 to 100 men. He is interested in the oil and gas business in his section; is a director of the First National Bank of Friendship; is connected with the water works and the Independent Telephone Co. of Friendship; is connected with The Reliance Shoe Co., and is interested in farming in Seneca County. Mr. Corbin has taken a marked interest in politics, being a thorough Republican. He is an esteemed citizen of Friendship, where he was unanimously elected a supervisor of the town, and is now serving in his ninth year in that capacity; he has served as chairman of the county board of supervisors three terms. He is a member of the following orders: Odd Fellows, Elks; Alleghany Lodge No. 225, Free and Accepted Masons, Friendship, N. Y.; Valley Point Chapter No. 232, Cuba, N. Y.; St. John's Commandery No. 24, K. T., Olean, N. Y.; the Ishmalia Temple, Buffalo, N. Y.

- i. ELECTA, b. July 15, 1877; m. Charles Starr, Sept. 19, 1900, at Friendship; he was b. Jan. 2, 1876, being the son of Samuel and Catherine Starr.
- ii. Lydia, b. Sept. 3, 1879.
- iii. MINER, b. June 6, 1883.
- iv. Adin, b. Sept. 24, 1887.
- 498. Daniel Edwin Corbin (Milo H., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. May 31, 1858, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Lenna Beers, May 1, 1883, at Friendship. She was b. Aug. 11, 1863, at Bolivar, N. Y., the dau. of Daniel and Janette Beers.
- D. Edwin Corbin followed the occupation of farming until the age of thirty-one, when he engaged in the hard-

DANIEL EDWIN CORBIN, Friendship, N. Y.





HARMON A. CORBIN, Friendship, N. Y., 1905. ware business in Friendship, N. Y., with his brothers Harmon A. and J. Hoyt under the firm name, Corbin Bros. He established branch stores in Belmont and Angelica and added carriages and farm implements to the business. He was successful in all that he undertook and a man of unquestioned integrity. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and the leading tenor of the choir. In Dec., 1899, he was stricken with nervous prostration, and d. March 10, 1900, beloved by all.

## Children:

- i. EUGENE, b. Jan. 25. 1885.
- ii. C'LIFFORD, b. April 22, 1886.
- iii. RUTH, b. Sept. 8, 1888.
- iv. HARRY, b. Oct. 16, 1890.
- v. Grace, b. Aug. 15, 1892; d. Oct. 28, 1892, at Friendship.
- vi. LAWRENCE, b. Nov. 14, 1893.
- 499. J. HOYT CORBIN (Milo II., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 28, 1868, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Ella Brayman, March 12, 1896, at Friendship. She was b. Dec. 17, 1872, at Friendship, the dau. of William and Elizabeth Brayman.
- J. Hoyt Corbin was educated in the schools of Friendship and at the Rochester Business Institute. He engaged in the hardware business with his brothers and had charge of the branch store at Belmont. Later he took charge of the Angelica branch, which he is now carrying on under the name of Corbin & Bates.

#### Child:

- i. Kenneth, b. March 6, 1902, at Angelica.
- 500. CARDIN C. CORBIN (Robert H., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 4, 1859, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Estelle Hassard, Dec. 9, 1880, at Amity. She was b. July 19, 1861, at Wirt, N. Y., the dau. of Lorenzo and Laura Hassard. He d. May 25, 1900, at Amity. They lived in Amity, N. Y., where the children were born.

## Children:

i. EDITH. b. Dec. 27, 1882; m. George Dickerson, April 30, 1902, at Friendship. He was b. Jan. 18, 1868,

at Farmer's Valley, Pa., the son of Charles and Olive Dickerson.

ii. CLAYTON, b. July 14, 1884.

- iii. BERTHA, b. May 27, 1886; m. Llewellyn McEntee, son of John and Francis McEntee, b. Jan. 5, 1882, at Angelica, N. Y. Child:

  1. GUY FRANCIS, b. Nov. 16, 1902, at Amity, N. Y.
- iv. LENA, b. Nov. 15, 1891.
- v. PAUL, b. Jan. 15, 1899.
- 501. M. LEONE CORBIN (Robert II., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 5, 1861, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Clark Haynes, Nov. 3, 1886, at Amity. He was b. July 1, 1857, at West Almond, N. Y., the son of A. Lacy and Margaret Haynes.

## Children b. at Amity:

- i. HAROLD HAYNES, b. Feb. 1, 1893.
- ii. MARGARET HAYNES, b. Jan. 15, 1899.
- 502. Calvin R. Corbin (Robert H., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 24, 1866, at Amity, N. Y.; m. Carrie B. Bump, Oct. 25, 1887, at Olean. She was b. at Attica, N. Y., the dau. of Allen and Eliza Bump.

## Children b. at Amity, N. Y.:

- i. MAY, b. April 30, 1890.
- ii. Lynn, b. March 21, 1893.
- 503. ESTHER G. CORBIN (Robert H., Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. July 3, 1869, at Amity; m. William Sortore, April 17, 1895, at Amity. He was b. April 15, 1869, at Amity, the son of Voorheis and Theresa Sortore.

## Children b. at Amity, N. Y.:

- i. Marion Sortore, b. April 11, 1900.
- ii. Voorheis Sortore.
- 504. WILLIAM M. CORBIN (Joshua, Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Nov. 8, 1868, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Diana E. Noble, Jan. 5, 1896, at Amity. She was b. April 27, 1865, at Amity, N. Y., the dau. of Hiram and Emily Noble.

J HOYT CORBIN, Angelica, N. Y., 1905.



Children b. at Seneca Falls, N. Y.:

- i. MANLEY N., b. Jan. 3, 1897.
- ii. RICHARD D., b. July 19, 1898.
- 505. MINNIE M. CORBIN (Hiram, Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Feb. 16, 1870, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Floyd Stout, Dec. 25, 1890, at Amity. He was b. June 25, 1863, the son of Algernon and Catherine Stout.

#### Children:

- i. GRACE, b. July 3, 1892, at Amity, N. Y.
- ii. LEOLA, b. May 24, 1898, at Gringo, Pa.
- 506. Sewell C. Corbin (Hiram, Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. Aug. 23, 1871, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Violet Middaugh, Nov. 2, 1890, at Amity. She was b. Jan. 2, 1875, at Wirt, N. Y., the dau. of Lester and Adelle Middaugh. Res. Friendship, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. GLEN M., b. Nov. 25, 1892.
- ii. HAZEL, b. Nov. 25, 1895.
- 507. A. Bert Corbin (Hiram, Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement), b. April 14, 1879, at Friendship, N. Y.; m. Pearl Wilbur, July 2, 1901, at Scio, N. Y. She was b. Feb. 23, 1882, at Scio, N. Y., the dau. of Henry and Elizabeth Wilbur.

## Child:

- i. Reba Gertrude, b. April 7, 1902, at Amity, N. Y.
- 508. Louise Corbin (Daniel, Austin, James, James, James, James, Clement), now the Countess of Orford, b. Nov. 5, 1866, at Helena, Mont.; was educated at New York, Dresden, Germany, and Paris, France; m. Robert Horace Walpole, May 17, 1888, at the English Embassy Church, Paris: He was b. July 10, 1854; was formerly lieutenant in the Royal Navy, and captain of the 4th Battery, Norfolk Regt.; was attached to the Earl of Rosslyn's special embassy at the King of Spain's wedding in

1877; was on the Roumelian mission in 1878, and the

Egyptian mission in 1886.

He succeeded his uncle in 1894 as the ninth Earl of Orford, thus making the American girl the Countess of Orford. Their seat is Mannington Hall, near Aylsham, Norfolk, England, with town residence at 36 Bruton St., Berkeley Sq., London. A newspaper publishes the following:

#### COUNTESS OF ORFORD.

Lady Orford has returned to London. This lady is one of our popular American peeresses, and was Miss Louise Corbin of New York. She is a great traveler, and has seen as much of distant lands as Mrs. Alan Gardner or Lady Howard Vincent. When at home she is interested in music, gives cheery dinners, dresses well, and pays frequent visits to London and the Riviera. She has no son, but a dear and only daughter, now fifteen years old. Lord Orford has seen many sides of life, in cities, and in uncivilized parts of the world. He was once an officer in the Royal Navy, and suffered shipwreck at sea; he was present at the annexation of the Fiji islands, where no white man had ever trod; later on he joined the Turkish army, and afterwards served at courts, when he joined the late Lord Rosslyn's special mission to Madrid at the marriage of Alphonso XII. He likes sport, is an expert on tarpon-fishing, and wrote on the subject in the Badminton Library. His country place is Mannington Hall, Norfolk.

## Children:

- i. Dorothy Rachel Melissa Walpole, b. March 11, 1889.
- ii. Horatio Corbin Walpole, b. Jan. 9, 1891; d. May 20, 1893.
- 509. ARTHUR ORVILLE CORBIN (Aurelius O., Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 15, 1860; m. Harriet L. Mott, Oct. 7, 1885; she was b. Nov. 2, 1865, the dau. of Titus B. and Emily D. Mott of Roslyn, L. I. He is a commercial traveler for the Austin Nicholls Co., importers, of New York. Res. 110 Florida St., Springfield, Mass.

- i. HAROLD MOTT, b. June 20, 1891.
- ii. Philip Hinman, b. Sept. 21, 1894.
- 510. Edward Morillo Corbin (Henry F., Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Aug. 5, 1854; m. Sarah Hoyle, May 1, 1881. She was the dau. of George B. and Hannah (Standish) Hoyle of Thompson.

GEORGE W. CORBIN, New Britain, Conn.



Mr. Corbin is one of the valued citizens of Putnam, Conn., appreciated for his integrity, worth, and public spirit. He is an architect and builder, connected with the Wheaton Building & Lumber Co. as its secretary and treasurer and as the architect for the concern. He has supervised the carrying out of several large contracts, not only in Putnam, but also in Boston and other places. He is an active member of the Congregational Church at Putnam, of which he has been the treasurer since 1899, a deacon since 1900, and secretary of the Sunday-school since 1897. Res. 7 Fremont St., Putnam, Conn.

#### Children:

- i. FREDERICK MORILLO, b. July 29, 1882; grad. from Putnam High School in 1901; now in business with his father.
- ii. HAROLD STANDISH, b. March 4, 1888; is now in the Observer office at Putnam.
- iii. HARLIE INEZ, b. Nov. 26, 1890.
- 511. ELLA MARIA CORBIN (Henry F., Samuel, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Oct. 27, 1861; m. Arthur Channing Barrows of Providence, R. I., Aug. 18, 1886. He graduated from Brown University in 1885; was for several years a teacher in the Providence High School. During the past few years his health has been poor and he has not been engaged in active brain work. His family now make their home at her father's in Union. Mrs. Barrows, both before and since her marriage, has been a successful teacher.

- i. Florence Louise Barrows, b. March 19, 1888.
- ii. RAYMOND CORBIN BARBOWS, b. March 8, 1889. Both are now students in the High School at Stafford Springs, Conn.
- 512. Frank Eugene Corbin (Hezekiah, Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Dec. 13, 1849; educated at the common and high schools at New Britain. On Jan. 1, 1870, he entered partnership with his father in the manufacture of paper boxes, and continued with him until Feb., 1890, and formed with John B. Minor the Minor & Corbin Box Co. for the same line of business, which became successful. He retired from this firm Jan. 1,

1900, on account of poor health. He is a Mason, a member of the Knights of Pythias, the Royal Arcanum, Sons of the Revolution, etc. A Baptist and director in the Y. M. C. A. He m. Mary Ann Whiting, Sept. 18, 1872. She was b. Sept. 2, 1850, dau. of George N. Whiting of West Hartford.

## Children:

- i. MINNIE BELLE, b. July 20, 1874; grad. from New Britain Normal School, 1892; m. James Thomas Powell of New Britain, son of Rev. James Powell, Oct. 14, 1897; he was b. Jan. 25, 1872; is a salesman for the Stanley Rule & Level Co. Children:
  - 1. Frank Corbin Powell, b. Jan. 12, 1902.
- 2. MARIAN ANDREWS POWELL, b. Nov. 30, 1903. ii. WILBUR ROGERS, b. Jan. 17, 1875; grad. from Hillside High School, and from Yale, 1896, with degree Mechanical Engineer. Is now with P. & F. Corbin; m. Rebekah Howe Morse, dau. of Gardner Morse of New Haven, June 13, 1899. Children:
  - 1. GARDNER MORSE, b. July 3, 1900.
  - 2. DOROTHY LORD, b. Oct. 3, 1901.
  - 3. ELIZABETH REED, b. March 6, 1902.
- iii. BERTHA EMILY, b. May 14, 1877; educated at Rye Seminary, Rye, N. Y.
- iv. George Lord, b. June 28, 1878; grad. from New Britain High School, 1897, and was at Worcester Academy for a year; is now traveling salesman in the West for the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co.; is a Mason.
- v. Mary Ann, b. Dec. 22, 1879; grad. from New Britain High School in 1898, and from the Ossining School at Sing Sing, N. Y., in 1899.
- 513. Willis Philip Corbin (Hezekiah, Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Feb. 20, 1856, at New Britain. After being educated in the schools of New Britain and Meriden, he entered the employ of his father, working at and becoming familiar with every part of the manufacture of paper boxes. In 1890 he took the place of his brother in the firm of H. H. Corbin & Son. Since the death of his father, Nov. 5, 1897, he has been at the head of the firm, and increased the business and made it successful.

He is an Adventist in religious belief and a Republican in politics. He m. Alice E. M. Ville, dau. of James Ville, a manufacturer of carriages at New Britain, May 19, 1881; she was b. at Taunton, England, Dec. 14, 1843.

ALBERT F. CORBIN, New Britain, Conn.



## Children:

i. FRED WILLIS, b. June 28, 1882.

- ii. Howard Rogers, b. March 7, 1885; graduated from New Britain High School, 1903.
- iii. HARRY HEZEKIAH, b. May 29, 1887. iv. MILDRED MARIA, b. Sept. 16, 1889.
- v. GERTRUDE ALICE, b. Oct. 4, 1890.
- 514. WILLIAM HUBBARD CORBIN (Waldo, Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. Jan. 15, 1857, at New Britain, Conn.; m. Emma Jane Morgan, June 23, 1880. She was b. Nov. 28, 1856. He is in the employ of the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co. at New Britain.

## Children:

i. GRACE ADELE, b. March 3, 1881.

ii. WILLIAM WALDO, b. Dec. 30, 1883; is with Corbin Cabinet Lock Co.

515. George Waldo Corbin (Waldo, Philip, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. March 4, 1859, at New Britain, Conn.; m. Lena Harriet Kelley, Oct. 17, 1883; she was b. April 18, 1862.

George W. Corbin was educated in the schools of New Britain and the academy at Wilbraham, Mass. He was connected with P. & F. Corbin in various positions from 1878 to 1883. He has been connected with the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co. since its organization in 1883 in various capacities and is now its president. The growth and prosperity of that important organization is largely due to him. He is also president of the Union Mfg. Co. and director in several other corporations. He has been interested in politics, held various offices in New Britain, and was mayor of that city from 1894 to 1896. He is a member of many fraternal orders and has received many honors from them.

- i. FLORENCE MAY, b. June 29, 1885; grad. from the New Britain High School in 1903; is now (1904) at Lassell Seminary.
- ii. HELEN EMILY, b. Aug. 21, 1890. iii. RUTH KELLEY, b. Dec. 28, 1891.
- iv. Constance Georgia, b. March 28, 1902.
- 516. ALBERT F. CORBIN (Waldo, Philip, Philip,

Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement), b. April 8, 1866; m. Alice May Parker, June 5, 1889; she was b. Jan. 7, 1868. He was superintendent of the Corbin Cabinet Lock Co. for seven years, but is now the treasurer and general manager of the Burdick-Corbin Mfg. Co. Res. New Britain, Conn.

## Child:

- i. EMORY CURTIS, b. Jan. 3, 1899.
- 517. CHARLES GILBERT CORBIN (Gilbert, Asa, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Nov. 21, 1855; m. 1st, Minnie Hayden of Clarksburg, Mass.; m. 2d, Gussie Wurl of Buffalo, N. Y., April 30, 1894. Res. Greenfield, Mass.

## Child of 1st wife:

i. CLARENCE GILBERT, b. Oct. 22, 1884.

## Children of 2d wife:

- ii. Lucy Helen, b. March 15, 1896, at Greenfield, Mass.; d. Sept. 16, 1896, at Buffalo, N. Y.
- iii. GILBERT FRED, b. March 23, 1902.
- 518. FRANK GILES CORBIN (Gilbert, Asa, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 28, 1862; m. Ida May Rogers of North Adams, Mass., March 18, 1888.

- i. Leslie Rogers, b. Sept. 7, 1889.
- ii. William Giles, b. Aug. 22, 1891.
- iii. Elsie Marguerite, b. Jan. 9, 1894.
- iv. Martha Harris, b. Sept. 1, 1896.
- 519. WILLIAM HERBERT CORBIN (William M., Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. July 20, 1864, at Union, Conn.; removed to Hartford in 1881, where he graduated from the Hartford High School in 1884. From 1885 to 1889 he was in Yale, where he became well known as a successful athlete, especially in football, being captain of the victorious football team of 1888. He was also an active leader in the religious work of the university. After his graduation in 1889 he taught

WILLIAM HERBERT CORBIN.

Hartford, Conn.



for three years at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y. He married Mary Williams of Manchester, Conn., July 16, 1890. She was the dau. of John F. and Charlotte Williams of Manchester, Conn., and was b. Nov. 2, 1866. In 1892 Mr. Corbin became head master of the Pingry School at Elizabeth, N. J., where he remained until 1897. He then became treasurer of the Central Woolen Co. of Stafford, Conn., where he remained two years. He is now the secretary and treasurer of the Wm. H. Wiley & Son Co. of Hartford, manufacturers of leggins and similar goods. He is one of the prominent and public-spirited of the younger citizens of Hartford. In 1901 he was elected chairman of the West Middle School District committee, and has been re-elected yearly. For two years he has been councilman from the Fourth Ward. He is president of the Hartford Yale Alumni Association, treasurer of the Twentieth Century Club, chairman of the membership committee of the Educational Club, a director of the Get-Together Club, president of the Young People's Federation of the Asylum Hill Congregational Church, a member of the Municipal Art Society, the Congregational Club, the Republican Club, and the Yale Club of New York. Res. 172 Collins St., Hartford, Conn.

#### Children:

- i. Walker Williams, b. March 4, 1896.
- ii. Elinor, b. April 7, 1899.
- 520. Annie Laura Corbin (William M., Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. March 31, 1867; graduated from the Hartford High School in 1886; m. James Allen Wiley of Hartford, July 16, 1890, at Manchester, Conn., her brother William H. being married at the same time. James A. Wiley was b. Dec. 20, 1859, the son of Wm. H. and Miranda G. Wiley of Hartford. He is president of the Wm. H. Wiley & Son Co. of Hartford, manufacturers of leggins and similar goods. Res. 176 Collins St., Hartford, Conn.

- i. WILLIAM HENRY WILEY, b. May 14, 1893.
- ii. John Corbin Wiley, b. Aug. 29, 1896.
- iii. LAURA CORBIN WILEY, b. June 24, 1904.

521. Prof. Arthur Linton Corbin (Myron M., Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 17, 1874, in Linn Co., Kansas; m. Bernice Lochhead, July 10, 1901, at Cripple Creek, Col. She was b. Nov. 14, 1874, at Paducah, Ky., the dau. of Robert and Madora (Hale) Lochhead, and directly descended on her mother's side from Richard Henry Lee and a cousin of Robert E. Lee. She was a student in the University of Colorado five years and secretary of the same for three years. thur L. Corbin took the degree of B.A. from the University of Kansas in 1894, and LLB. from Yale University, magna cum laude, in 1899. A member of the Phi Beta Kappa society. He practiced law at Cripple Creek, Col., 1899-1903. He is now instructor in contracts and mining and irrigation law in the Yale Law School, since Aug., 1903. Res. 123 Maple St., New Haven.

#### Children:

- i. ARTHUR LINTON, Jr., b. April 13, 1902, at Cripple Creek, Col.
- ii. HERBERT HALE, b. Jan. 9, 1904, at New Haven, Conn.
- 522. George Harvey Corbin (Harvey A., Amos, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. Oct. 8, 1851, at Parma, Monroe Co., N. Y.; m. Lennia May Ross, dau. of Jay and Julia (Nichols) Ross, Oct. 4, 1882, at Lyons, Ionia Co., Mich.; she was b. at Lyons, June 5, 1861. George H. Corbin went with his father from Parma, N. Y., in 1868 to a farm near Muir, Ionia Co., Mich. He taught school seven terms. Since 1888 he has lived in Grand Rapids, Mich., where he has been with a furniture manufacturing company and in realty business.

- i. FANNIE MAY, b. Jan. 19, 1886, in Lyons, Mich. ii. HARVEY JAY, b. Feb. 16, 1890, at Grand Rapids.
- iii. Russell Alger, b. Sept. 25, 1897, at Grand Rapids.
- iv. RAYMOND GEORGE, b. Sept. 8, 1899, at Grand Rapids.
- 523. REV. PAUL LEATON CORBIN (Lucius B., Calvin L., Luther, Silas, Ebenezer, Jabez, Clement), b. Sept. 28, 1875, at Carlinville, Ill.; m. Miriam H. Locke, June 9, 1904, at Morning Sun, Ia. She was b. at Lawn Ridge, Ill., Sept. 23, 1878.

REV. AND MRS. PAUL L. CORBIN, American Board Mission, Shand, China.



Rev. Paul L. Corbin graduated from Blackburn College in 1898 and from the Oberlin Theological Seminary in 1903. For a year he was a secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement. In 1903 the Oberlin students determined to undertake the support of a missionary in the Shansi mission of the American Board in China, where the missionaries massacred by the Boxers in 1900 were Oberlin students. \$1,300 was pledged in a short time, largely due to the admiration felt by all the students for Mr. Corbin, who was selected as the missionary. Mrs. Corbin was also an Oberlin student. He was ordained at Kemper, Ill., Oct. 12, 1899.

A farewell service was held for them at the First Church, Oberlin, Sunday evening, June 12, 1904, when every seat was occupied. Addresses were made by President King, representatives of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., Mr. King and Mr. Fay, students from Shansi, and Mr. Corbin himself. They sailed from San Francisco, Aug. 30, 1904, and have been at Tung Chow up to the present, studying the language. Their station will be Tarku, Shansi, China.

## APPENDIX.

# MYSTERIOUS EARLY CORBINS IN NEW ENGLAND.

John Corbin of England came to Boston and had the following children:

i. A dau., m. Edward Sprague.

ii. John, a watchman on June 13, 1665 (Selectman's Records, p. 69).

iii. Capt. Corbin of the schooner *Industry*, Henley, owner, in 1738.

iv. JANE CORBIN of Charlestown, published marriage intentions to Thomas Skinner, July 16, 1719; bans forbidden by Timothy Goodwin.

Mary Corbin of New Cambridge married Nathaniel Wiet of Dorchester, Dec. 13, 1688. (N. E. Gen. Reg., Vol. 34.)

WILLIAM CORBIN made a will May 10, 1704, recorded in Boston, as follows: He bequeathed his estate to Mr. George Hatton, late minister of the Church of England in Providence, now of Boston; his clothing, etc., to Mrs. Katherine Ball of Boston, widow; his jewelry and plate to Mary Gregory, his daughter-in-law; to Thomas Newton his diamond ring, and to Miss Jane Alton of Newbury his linen and books.

A WILLIAM CORBIN was made sole executor of the will of Matthew Craddock, brother of Samuel Craddock, Nov. 9, 1640. (N. E. Gen. Reg., Vol. 8.)

Sons of WILLIAM and DEBORAH CORBIN (from Record of Births, Boston, 1700-1800):

- i. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 22, 1728.
- ii. WILLIAM, b. Oct. 18, 1730.
- iii. NATHANIEL, b. Feb. 11, 1732; m. Elizabeth Godfrey of Boston, June 9, 1757.

DEBORAH CORBIN of Taunton and Moses Briggs of Rehoboth were married Feb. 27, 1778.

ISAAC CORBIN of Rehoboth and Mary ——— of Swansea were married Sept. 24, 1784.

Children of Edward and Experience Corbin of Scituate, R. I.:

- i. NATHANIEL, b. May 1, 1754.
- ii. SARAH, b. March 27, 1757.
- iii. Molly, b. July 8, 1760.

Joan Corbin (dau. of John Corbin, who wrote the letter from Upway, England, as given heretofore) m. Ralph Sprague; came to New England in 1628-9; both were admitted to the church at Boston in Oct., 1632. She m. 2d, Edward Converse, who d. at Woburn, Aug. 10, 1663. She d. at Malden in 1650.

## Children:

- i. John Sprague.
- ii. RICHMOND SPRAGUE.
- iii. SAMUEL SPRAGUE, bapt. June 3, 1632, Boston.
- iv. Mary Sprague, bapt. Sept. 14, 1634, Charlestown.
- v. Phineas Sprague, bapt. May 31, 1637.
- vi. Jonathan Sprague, d. Dec., 1650.

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## CORBINS OTHER THAN DESCENDANTS OF CLEMENT.

WILLIAM CORBIN, b. 1785 in Virginia, settled in Zanesville, Ohio, in 1817. Many of his descendants live there, at Yates City, Ill., and at other places in Illinois, Indiana, and Kansas. Mr. David Corbin of Yates City, Ill., has compiled a genealogy of this branch.

Another numerous branch of southern Corbins has many representatives at Huntington, Pa. Mr. J. G. Corbin, Mill Creek, Huntington, Pa., is the authority on these.

- F. A. Corbin, the tailor of New Haven and New York, is descended from a George Corbin who lived in the peninsula portions of Virginia.
- J. F. Corbin of Boulder, Col., was born in the Barbados, British West Indies, whither his ancestors had taken refuge from the persecutions in France, they belonging to the Huguenot party. Mr. Donald R. Corbin of New York city also came from the West Indies.

John R. Corbin of Brooklyn, N. Y., came from the island of Guernsey, where his family had lived for over 300 years.

PHILIP CORBIN of 4219 Third Ave., New York, came from Russia, where there are also Corbins. So also did Adam Corbin of Worcester, Mass.

Daniel Corbin came to America from Neuberry, Germany, when a young man, and settled in Herkimer Co.,

N. Y. He m. Dolly Cunningham, near Fort Plain, N. Y. They moved to Theresa, N. Y. He d. about 1879. She d. about 1895.

## Children:

i. Julia, m. ——— Sartwell.

ii. KATHERINE, m. —— Salisbury.

- iii. Daniel W., served in the Civil War; was a member of the Flower Post, G. A. R.; d. aged 73, and was buried March 29, 1905, at Theresa, N. Y. He m. twice.
- iv. EPHRAIM, also a soldier in the Civil War, d. about 1896.

## THE CORBINS OF DUTCHESS CO., N. Y., WEST-ERN CONNECTICUT, AND VERMONT.

#### DIGEST OF INFORMATION.

ROBERT and GEORGE CORBIN are said to have come to America in 1743, and Peter and William soon after. (Their father supposed to be Peter.)

Peter Corbin came in company with an Irish family named Seabright and married into that family.

A Peter Corbin resided at Pawling, Dutchess Co., N. Y., in 1777, where he was taxed for £660. ("Tax-rates of Dutchess Co., 1777," in N. Y. State Library.)

There is a tradition that the ancestors of this line of Corbins (i. e., of Peter, who was the father of David E.) were originally Russians and came from Russia to England about 1600.

Peter Corbin of Dutchess Co., N. Y., Nine Partners, Mass., and Vermont, had brothers Samuel and Thomas. Samuel also lived at Nine Partners. There is a tradition that Thomas came home one day, found his buildings burned, his family massacred, and his stock driven away, by the Indians. From that time he became a great Indian fighter.

## Children:

- i. Job.
- ii. PETER.
- iii. DAVID E., b. about 1757.
- iv. WARREN, b. about 1765-6 in Dutchess Co., N. Y.
- v. ELIZABETH.
- vi. HANNAH.

Job Corbin (Peter), m. —— Ferris; lived at Schaghticoke, N. Y.; had two children, Eliza and Peter.

Peter Corbin (Job, Peter), m. Amy Ferris; lived at Schaghticoke, where he d. about 1850.

## Children:

i. SYLVIA, m. Frank Allen; 6 ch.: Harriet, Seneca, Edmund, Amy, Nettie, and Charles Allen.

ii. HARRIET, m. William Ostrander.

- iii. EGBERT, m. Mary Ann White; had 3 ch., d. at Hoosick Falls.
- iv. EDMUND, b. 1812; m. Harriet Merrick. Children:

1. FRED, b. Feb. 17, 1844; m. Eva Allen, Feb.

23, 1875; resides at Watervliet, N. Y.

- 2. CHARLES, b. Aug. 4, 1848; m. Lucy M. Allen sister of Eva above), dau. of Eri and Lucy (Gilmore) Allen, at Wilmington, Vt. He was a soldier in the 125th N. Y. Regt. in the Civil War, enlisting at the age of 15. He is a carriage painter, and now resides at 2 Mill St., Charlestown, Mass. Children:
  - 1. HARRY D., b. July 28, 1869, at Bennington, Vt.; m. Mary O'Connell, June 25, 1902, at Boston. He was a member of the Mass. Naval Brigade, and served during the Spanish-American War on the gunboat Gov. Russell.

2. HATTIE O., b. Nov. 20. 1872, at Bennington, Vt.; m. Frank W. Pierce, Jan. 8, 1883, at Ames-

bury, Mass.

- 3. FRED W., b. June 15, 1874, at Bennington, Vt.; m. Annie Laurie Moulton, June, 1904, at Amesbury, Mass. He is a carriage woodworker.
- 4. LEANDER F., b. July 18, 1883, at Bennington, Vt.
- 5. NORMA I., b. Dec. 24, 1888, at Hoosiek Falls, N. Y.

3. ALICE, b. 1852; d. 1857.

- v. Job, b. 1820; m. Ann Pierce, b. 1821. Children:
  - 1. CHARLES, b. about 1848; d. Jan., 1905, at Schaghticoke, N. Y.

2. Louise, m. William Collard.

- vi. SENECA, m. Sarah Lane; ch.: Daniel, d.; Ida; Edmond, d.; and Amy I., who lives at Schaghticoke.
- vii. ELIZA, m. John H. Överocker; a dau., Amy F., m. Barent Stoliker; res. Kinderhook, N. Y.

DAVID E. CORBIN (Peter), b. about 1757; m. 1st, Margaret Briggs; 2d, Sarah Knowles. He was a Revolutionary soldier, enlisting from New Fairfield, Conn., April 22, 1777. (See "Connecticut in the Revolution.") The Pension Office at Washington gives the following record: "Enlisted from Pawling, N. Y., in 1778; served as a corporal until Jan. 1, 1782, under Capt. Andrew Moody, Col. John Lamb; was in battles of Johnstown and West Canada

Creek. Applied for a pension at Collins, N. Y., Dec. 3, 1832, at the age of 75; claim allowed; he m. 2d, Sarah Knowles, June 6, 1804, at Minkton, Vt.; she received a pension as his widow."

A family tradition relates that when Lafayette visited this country in 1824, David E. Corbin met him at Buffalo. He had served under him as a scout. There was also present Red Jacket, chief of the Senecas, who was associated in this service.

David E. Corbin moved to Collins, Erie Co., N. Y., and d. there in 1845, aged about eighty-eight.

#### Children:

i. John Briggs, b. ——. (See later.)

ii. MARY, b. Oct. 24, 1799. (See later.)

iii. MARGARET, m. Jonathan Wood; lived at Eden, Erie Co., N. Y.; visited relatives in Saratoga, Burlington, and Grand Isle, Vt., in 1855; had a cousin. David, at Burlington.

iv. Peter, lived in Buffalo, N. Y., where he was Court Crier and held other offices, and where he d. in 1858. Ch.: Mary, Eliza, Nancy, Thomas, and Daniel W. The last m. and had a son, Webster W., who lives at No. 6938 Wentworth Ave., Chicago.

v. Ollie, m. — King; lived at Independence, Ia.

vi. David, served in the War of 1812; then was in the employ of John Jacob Astor's Northwestern Fur Co. He is said to have married an Indian chief's daughter, and raised quite a large family, who were well educated. He d. at Detroit, Mich., about 1848.

## Children of 2d wife:

vii. ELISHA, went West.

viii. RUTH, m. John Baker; lived at Strawberry Point, Ia.

ix. Seneca, lived near Matamoro, Ohio; d. about 1887.

x. Hannah.

WARREN CORBIN (Peter), b. about 1765, in Dutchess Co., N. Y.; m. Huldah Fisher.

- i. Dorcas, b. 1797; m. ——— Stiles. in 1822, at Grand Isle, Vt.
- ii. Peter, b. at Grand Isle, Vt., 1799. Children:
  - 1. Peter.
  - 2. ROYAL.
  - 3. DAVID T.. b. 1833; m. Sarah A. ——; was a lawyer in Chicago. Ch.: Nathan D., lawyer at Detroit. Mich.

- 4. ELECTA, Milton, Vt.
- 5. RUTH ANN.
- iii. DAVID. Children:
  - 1. WARREN, b. 1826; m. Mona Rockwell.
  - 2. Isaac, b. 1828; has son Byron, at Dundee, Mich.
  - 3. L. REBECCA, m. Knox; res. Dundee, Mich.
    - 4. Job, b. Nov. 23, 1834.
    - 5. PHILENA, b. 1840.

JOHN B. CORBIN (David E., Peter), m. Betty Gould, a Quaker lady, who d. Feb., 1880, at Lamont, Mich. He d. April 5, 1845, at Lockport, N. Y., and was buried in the Quaker cemetery at Hartland, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. Rhoda, m. —— Brown; d. in Buffalo, N. Y., leaving a son, David E. Brown, who d. about 1893, leaving children; also a dau., Ann Eliza Brown, who lives in Florida.
- ii. DAVID E., d. Aug. 2, 1850; a son, George E., lives in Chicago.
- iii. Isaiah Hamilton, b. Feb. 13, 1816, at Lincoln, Vt.; d. Feb. 19, 1902, at Eaton Rapids, Mich. Children:
  - 1. John M., b. Sept. 8, 1844; is a lawyer at Detroit, Mich.
    - 2. VIRGIL E., b. Sept. 18, 1846.
    - 3. ELWOOD D., b. March 7, 1852.
    - 4. BETTY, b. July 16, 1854.
    - 5. Eva A., b. Aug. 31, 1858; m. Burgess.

MARY CORBIN (David E., David), b. Oct. 24, 1799; m. Joseph Pound (b. Feb. 8, 1783); he d. Aug. 28, 1834; she d. July 31, 1861. They lived at Eden, Erie Co., N. Y.

- i. SARAH POUND, b. Feb. 2, 1816; d. about 1868.
- ii. ELI POUND, b. April 23, 1818; m. April 11, 1884; d. Dec. 31, 1891.
- iii. Cyrus Pound, b. Dec. 8, 1821; m. Nov. 22, 1853; d. Sept. 10, 1892.
- iv. ELIZA POUND, b. Jan. 4, 1824; d. July 14, 1826.
- v. DAVID POUND, b. Aug. 27, 1826; d. Jan. 15, 1853.
- vi. ELIZA L. POUND, b. Jan. 31, 1829; m. Cyrenius Seamans of Eden, N. Y., April 26, 1849; he was b. Jan. 15, 1824, and d. Dec. 4, 1894; she d. March 2, 1872, at Clarion, Iowa. Children:
  - 1. Anna L. Seamans, b. Oct. 9, 1850; d. Feb. 22, 1876.
    - 2. HARRIET L. SEAMANS. b. March 8, 1853; m.

Pattison; res. 2942 Grand Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

3. EMMA A. SEAMANS, b. Feb. 10, 1856; d. Oct.

19, 1887, at Clarion, Iowa.

4. FLORA A. SEAMANS, b. Aug. 8, 1858; d. Sept. 27, 1863, at Putnam, Iowa.

5. MARY S. SEAMANS, b. Feb. 2, 1861; d. April

28. 1894, at Iowa Falls, Iowa.

6. SABAH M. SEAMANS, b. April 27, 1864.

vii. EMILY M. POUND, b. June 30, 1830.

viii. ELWOOD POUND, b. Aug. 18, 1833; d. Oct. 21, 1833.

Dr. Job Corbin (David, Warren, Peter), b. Nov. 23, 1834; m. Maria L. Weaver of New York, May, 1867. He graduated at the University of Vermont in 1859 and from medical college in 18—. He was a surgeon for six years in the U. S. navy, from 1861 to 1867; was present at the battles of Malvern Hill, etc.; sailed around the world. Is now practicing at 296 McDonough St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### Children:

- i. Mona Louisa, b. 1868.
- ii. DAVID, b. 1870.
- iii. Josephine, b. 1871.
- iv. IRVING, b. 1873.
- v. Edna, b. 1875 or 1876.
- vi. WARREN, b. 1878.
- vii. Victoria Ray, b. 1883.

A branch of Dutchess County Corbins probably went to Roxbury, Delaware Co., N. Y., and have descendants now scattered through New York state and the West. There is a tradition that this branch is descended from Timothy Corbin, who came from Athlone, Ireland, and was buried in Philadelphia, and who had a brother Samuel. Timothy Corbin is said to have married Annie Chase. He is thought to have been a brother of Lord John Corbin of Athlone, Ireland, about 1730 and 1760.

The children in this family were:

AHIJAH, or ABIJAH.

HANNAH, or ANNA, m. Philetus Scudder.

Joseph, d. unm.

PEACE, m. Smith Scudder.

Benjamin, m. ——— Jennings, and went to Canada with his mother and two sisters after the Revolutionary War.

TIMOTHY, m. Sarah Allen; settled in Roxbury.

DANIEL, m. Susan Baker; lived in Roxbury. REBECCA, m. Ameriah Worden; lived at Andes, N. Y. MICAIAH (not the youngest).

MICAIAH CORBIN, b. about 1776 in Connecticut or in Dutchess Co., N. Y.; m. Maria Worden and moved to Roxbury, Delaware Co., N. Y., where he d. in 1836.

- i. MARY ANN, m., in 1844, John B. Gould of Roxbury, the father of Jay Gould by a former marriage; they had one son, Abram, who d. in St. Louis.
- ii. PETER, m. Julia Brockett of Durham, N. Y.; they moved to Saybrook, Ohio, in 1837, where he d. in 1864. Children:
  - 1. LEWIS E., b. in 1836; d. Sept. 2, 1904. Child:
    - 1. CLARENCE A., b. Dec. 28, 1861, at Saybrook, Ohio; grad. at New Smyrna Institute in 1884, with the degree of B.S. He m. Emma Peebles, June 2, 1886. For eight years prior to 1902 Mr. Corbin was superintendent of the North and South Kingsville schools. In 1891 he purchased a controlling interest in the Standard Publishing Co. of Ashtabula, Ohio, of which he has since been the business manager. For ten years he has served as chairman of the Democratic Committee for his county; he was a nominee of his party for the State Senate, and in 1896 and 1904 was sent as a delegate to the National Democratic conventions. He has also served on the Board of Education and the Board of Tax Review of his city. Ch.: Florence A., b. 1888; Harland P., b. 1890; Helen, b. 1892; Katherine, b. 1893, d. 1900.
      - 2. ELWYN L.
      - 3. Eugene S., has one ch.: Seila, b. 1898.
      - 2. Byron J., ch.: Lawrence, Mary.
- iii. PHILETUS, m. Maria Benjamin; m. 2d, Catherine Benjamin; lived at Roxbury, N. Y. Children:
  - 1. Polly Maria, m. O. A. Meeker; 2 dau.
  - 2. HIRAM B., m. Abigail Burroughs; 1 son.
    3. Andrew J., b. Feb. 23, 1836, at Roxbury;
  - m. Lucy Ann Champion, June 26, 1865; he was a merchant at Bloomville, N. Y., where he d. in 1904 (or he m. Sarah Dales; no issue).
- iv. RHODA, m. Luther Whipple.
- v. John, never married.
- vi. Daniel, m. Ruth Walker; ch.: Mary Ann, Betsey, Elsie, Philetus, Henry, Timothy, and Samuel. Henry m. Abigail Corbin, a cousin.
- vii. David, m. Jedidiah Bump; ch.: Mercy, m. Avery Baker; Rhoda, and Anna, both unm.
- viii. Andrew J., m. Delilah Bunker; lived at Roxbury, N. Y. Children:

- 1. TALLMAN, m. Jane E. Mott of Caroline, Tompkins Co., N. Y. Ch.: Eugene N., resides at Ithaca, N. Y., where he is the city treasurer, and has 3 ch.: Paul Eugene, Lelah Vail, and Clara Mott; and Edward W., who also resides at Ithaca, unm.
  - 2. TIMOTHY.
- 3. Levi B., m. Rosanna North; one son. Andrew
- 4. John M., m. Harriet ——; one dau., Bertha.
  - 5. A. Jackson, m. Mary Meyers; three dau.
  - 6. Eleanor, m. Talmy Van Amburgh. 7. SARAH, m. John Jaquish; two ch.
- 8. Mary Ann, m. Wm. Hewitt, and has a son,
- G. L. Hewitt of Talcottsville, N. Y.
- 9. Maria, m. 1st, Matthew H. Keevie, 2d, R. C. Hefferman.
- ix. TIMOTHY, m. Eleanor Squire. Children: Joseph, a captain in the army, killed at the battle of Gettysburg; also Jason, Timothy, Charity, Abigail, and Micaiah, who had ch.: Tessie, Agnes, Mary, and Grace. Miss Tessie Corbin's address in 1895 was New Kingston, N. Y. Abigail m. Henry Corbin, a cousin.

(From Boyd's "History of Winchester, Conn.")

Peter Corbin of Danbury, Conn.; b. 1733; m. Abigail Benedict of Simsbury, Nov. 18, 1756, at Danbury. He and his wife were received into the church at Winchester, June 30, 1776. He moved from Danbury to Winchester with his sons Daniel and Peter, Jr., in 1774. He removed to Colebrook in 1805, and spent his remaining days with his son Peter.

He was captain of the first company of the Alarm Regt. of Connecticut in 1780. Assessed at Winchester, 1783, for £56 16s., and Peter, Jr., at £21. He d. March 20, 1805, in Colebrook, Conn.

## Children:

i. Daniel, b. Oct. 1, 1757, at Danbury; m. Mabel Everitt, May 30, 1776; d. at Colebrook, 1809.

PETER, Jr., b. Aug. 6, 1762. ii.

- ABIGAIL, b. Feb. 26, 1766; m. Abijah Benedict. iii.
- Lucy, b. Jan. 20, 1770; m. Jennings of Coviv. entry, N. Y., in 1806.
- Anna, b. Feb. 6, 1772; m. Ashbel Humphrey of V. Goshen, Conn., 1795.
- ESTHER, b. Jan. 3, 1776, at Winchester; m. Zeri vi. Hoyt, 1797; moved from Winchester in 1803, perhaps to Locke, N. Y., as several members of the Hovt family went to that place.

Peter Corbin, Jr., b. Aug. 6, 1762, in Danbury; m. Villette Van Nearing of Simsbury, N. J., 1790. She was b. in Simsbury, Feb. 2, 1763, and d. May 29, 1861. He moved to Winchester in 1774, and Colebrook, 1796. Lived at Colebrook, Conn. Moderator there, 1805. Was a soldier in Sherman's Co., 8th Regt., 1780, July 16-Dec. 3. In Canfield's Militia Regt., 1781, at West Point, and in Capt. John Hill's Co. at New York under Gen. Putnam.

## Children:

i. Joseph, b. March 31, 1791; m. Lois Cady, in 1815; d. Aug. 5, 1876.

ii. URIEL, b. May 17, 1795; d. Dec. 24, 1843, at Colebrook.

iii. John Starr, b. Feb. 25, 1797; m. Maria Nearing, dau. of Asa of Bloomfield; d. July 9, 1867.

iv. Amos, b. Dec. 25, 1800; m. Caroline Whiting, dau. of Seth Whiting of Colebrook, May 11, 1835; d. June 29, 1875.

v. Peter, b. Jan. 27, 1808; d. May 23, 1898.

ABIGAII. CORBIN (Peter), b. Feb. 26, 1766; m. Abijah Benedict, 2d son of Capt. Benj., June 11, 1789; he was b. April 30, 1765.

#### Children:

- i. Daniel Benedict, b. Feb. 26, 1790.
- ii. SYLVESTER BENEDICT, b. Dec. 4, 1794.

Peter Corbin (Peter, Peter), b. Jan. 27, 1808; m. Caroline Whiting. Resided in Colebrook, Conn. Represented the town in the legislature of 1864; an active member of the Congregational Church. He d. May 23, 1898, e. ninety. No members of his family survive him.

PHILIP CORBIN of Danbury, b. at Danbury about 1766; m. 1st, Mercy Wilkinson, Oct., 1787, at Danbury. She d. about 1835, in New Milford, Conn., æ. 89 yrs., 7 m.; he m. 2d, Polly Hyatt; d. 1855, æ. 88 yrs., 5 m., 20 d.

## Children:

i. NATHAN GREGORY, b. April 15, 1796.

ii. Andrus, d. in the army at New London with measles, in the War of 1812.

iii. MARILLA, m. 1st, Benedict; had 2 ch., son and dau.

#### Children:

- 1. Cornelius.
- 2. Maria, m. Wm. Seelye. Ch.: Luther S. Seelye, John Seelye, Lucretia Seelye, Flory Ann (Flora Ann) Seelye, m. ——— Williams, 3 ch.

iv. LAURA, m. 1st, —— Crofut; m. 2d, Josiah Lawton. Ch.: Caroline Crofut, Eliza Crofut, Jane Lawton (m. Henry Stone), Henry Lawton. Josiah Lawton and wife Laura d. at Mill Plain, Danbury.

ABIGAIL CORBIN, sister of Philip Corbin of Danbury, was b. near Danbury; m. Phineas Peck of Danbury, Oct. 13, 1776. He went from Norwich, Conn., to the Lexington Alarm as sergt.; enlisted in Col. McClellan's Regt., March, 1778, for one year as 1st lieut.; next enlisted as 1st lieut. in Capt. Waterman's Co., 1779; discharged Nov. 29, 1779. They lived in Danbury at the time when that town was burnt by the British, and she helped to dress the wounds of the soldiers and bring water to them — an event which made a lasting impression on her mind. She d. at Riley, Clinton Co., Mich., in 1848, aged 101 years.

## Children:

- i. ELKANAH PECK, m. Hannah Parker; he d. at Alma, Mich., on his way to church, Aug., 1860, aged 83. Children:
  - 1. PHINEAS PECK, m. Elizabeth Reed of Hector, N. Y. Ch.: Mary and Oscar Peck.
    - 2. ELKANAH PECK, m. Julia Gunn.
    - 3. PHILO PHILIP PECK, m. Lucy Gunn.
  - 4. James Peck, b. Dec. 6, 1810; m. Sarah Reed, at Hector, N. Y.; he m. 2d, Rosella Ann Warne, March 19, 1868; she d. Jan. 26, 1900. Children:
    - 1. Melissa Peck, b. Nov. 19, 1833; m. Charles D. Stevens, Oct. 28, 1852; 4 ch.
    - 2. MARY JANE PECK, b. July 20, 1836; m. Delos L. Heath, April 25, 1854; son Harry m. Helen Williamson.
    - 3. SARAH D. PECK, b. Feb. 29, 1872; m. Jacob E. Hones, Dec. 3, 1890.
  - 5. JANE PECK, m. Silas Biggs; ch.: Hubbard, Helen, and George Biggs.
    - 6. NICHOLAS PECK.

NATHAN GREGORY CORBIN (Philip of Danbury), b. April 5, 1796, at Danbury; m. Abigail Barnum, April 20, 1817; she was the dau. of Josiah and Abigail (Curtis) Barnum, and was b. April 3, 1797, and d. April 4, 1885. He d. Nov. 6, 1864, at Cornwall, Conn.

# Children:

EMELINE, b. Feb. 28, 1819, at Danbury.

Josiah Barnum, b. Jan. 26, 1821.

Andrus, b. May 31, 1823.

JEREMIAH SANFORD, b. Oct. 7, 1828.

ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 1, 1831.

vi. PERRY BARBER, b. Oct. 25, 1833.

JULIETTE, b. May 19, 1838; m. Edward Osborne of Alford, Mass., Dec. 25, 1873.

EMELINE CORBIN (Nathan G., Philip), b. Feb. 28, 1819, at Danbury, Conn.; m. Eli B. Smith, son of Eli Smith of New Britain, Conn., Nov. 25, 1838; he was a carriage maker and farmer at Cornwall, Conn. He d. Aug. 17, 1871. She d. Dec. 15, 1889, at Harwinton.

#### Child:

i. Frances Minerva, b. March 24, 1841; m. Benjamin F. Page of Warren, Nov. 16, 1865; he was the son of Daniel and Ursula Page. He served through the Civil War in Co. E, 8th Conn. Vols. He is a farmer at Harwinton, Conn. Children:

1. ALENA EMELINE PAGE, b. June 14, 1871, at North Granville, Mass.; m. William H. Wilson, son of Humphrey and Antoinette Wilson of Har-

winton, May 29, 1900.

2. CHARLES AUGUSTUS, b. Sept. 13, 1876, at Harwinton.

Josiah Barnum Corbin (Nathan G., Philip), b. Jan. 26, 1821; m. Lydia A. Page, dau. of Daniel and Ursula Page of Warren, May 5, 1846; he served in the Civil War, in the 2d Conn. Heavy Artillery. He was a farmer at Cornwall. He d. March 14, 1895; she d. March 1, 1900.

### Children:

JULIA EMELINE, b. Sept. 24, 1847; m. William L. Rogers, son of Henry Rogers of Cornwall. Ch.: Fannie L. and Charles Leete Rogers. Charles m. Louise Wooster Norton, dau. of Edward Norton of Goshen, June 5, 1899.

ii. GEORGE WELLINGTON, b. Sept. 4, 1849; m. Hattie A. Blake, Jan. 1, 1873; he d. March 12, 1898. Chil-

**1**. CAROLINE LYDIA, b. Aug. 14, 1877; m. Richard Palmer, Nov. 4, 1894.

2. Annie Martha, b. Dec. 8, 1879; m. Frederick E. Baldwin, May 23, 1899.

3. JULIA HATTIE, b. July 30, 1882; d. Aug. 14, 1897.

- 4. BENJAMIN ALBERT, b. Aug. 6, 1884; d. May 16, 1885.
  - 5. FRANK WELLINGTON, b. Nov. 30, 1886.
  - GEORGE ORRIN, b. Jan. 9, 1880.
     RALPH EDMUND, b. Oct. 10, 1893.
- 8. Myron Lester, b. March 14, 1895 (b. in the same house and on the same day that his grandfather died).

Andrus Corbin (Nathan G., Philip), b. May 31, 1823; m. Lucy or Leivey E. Williams of East Haven, Conn., May 17, 1855; she was b. May 17, 1828. He was a joiner and was afterwards in the grain business at Plainville, Conn.

#### Children:

- i. Mary Augusta, b. ——; m. James A. Eaton of Plainville. Conn. Child:
- 1. ATUN G. EATON.
  ii. LUCY ESTELLA, m. Charles A. Spaulding; res. Providence, R. I. Children:
  - 1. Bessie V.
  - 2. GRACE M.
  - 3. CHARLES F.

JEREMIAH SANFORD CORBIN (Nathan G., Philip), b. Oct. 7, 1828; m. Sarah Woodbridge Webster, dau. of Ebenezer Wells and Sarah J. (Grimes) Webster, Oct. 1, 1855, at Plainville, Conn. She was b. there Feb. 12, 1837, and d. there June 17, 1881.

He has been engaged for many years in the carriagemaking business at Plainville, Conn. He has been justice of the peace, member of the school board, and an officer in the Congregational Church there.

# Children:

- i. Ella Webster, b. March 18, 1859.
- ii. CHARLES S., b. March 11, 1862.

ELIZABETH CORBIN (Nathan G., Philip), b. Aug. 1, 1831; m. Hobart H. Bishop, Aug. 23, 1856; m. 2d, Thomas W. Moore, Nov. 12, 1865. He d. Dec. 8, 1892. She d. Jan. 10, 1871. Children: Frank E. Bishop, res. California, and Wm. Moore, res. British Columbia.

Perry Barber Corbin (Nathan G., Philip), b. Oct. 25, 1833; m. Jane A. Plumb, dau. of Almon and Nancy

Plumb of Bristol, Feb. 8, 1866. She d. Dec. 17, 1876. He was in business in N. Carolina at the outbreak of the Civil War, was drafted into the Confederate army. After thrilling adventures he escaped and returned to Bristol, Conn. Later he served in a Minnesota Regt. on the Union side.

Daniel S. Corbin, b. June 10, 1808, in Dutchess Co., N. Y. He was the son of Daniel and Huldah (Spencer) Corbin. Daniel Corbin, Sr., was a traveling salesman, and was drowned while crossing the Hudson River in winter.

Daniel Corbin, Jr., m. Elizabeth Townsend in 1829. He d. Aug. 27, 1895, at Ballston. He was a soldier in Co. B, 34th N. Y. Regt. in 1861, and in Co. H, 169th Regt. from Aug. 21, 1862, to July 8, 1865. She d. March 31, 1866.

# Children:

- i. Sescelia J., b. Dec. 26, 1834.
- ii. Daniel S., Jr., b. Feb. 19, 1838; was a soldier in Co. B, 34th N. Y. Regt., from Bath, N. Y. Killed at Fair Oaks. Va., May 31, 1862. The Daniel S. Corbin Post, G. A. R., is named from him.
- iii. MINERVA, b. June 13, 1840; m. Joseph Turner, Oct. 15, 1857; had 5 ch.; lived at Schenectady, N. Y.
- iv. Philo G., b. Nov. 5, 1844; d. July 25, 1845.
- v. Anna E., b. May 13, 1847; d. March 14, 1870.
- vi. Franklin R., b. July 3, 1850; d. Aug. 27, 1851.
- vii. IDA, b. Dec. 11, 1857; d. Feb. 22, 1859.

Jabus or Jabez Corbin, said to have come from Long Island, lived at Quaker Hill, in the town of Pawling, Dutchess Co., N. Y. He m. Sarah Lawrence (or Mary Geeseman or Lucy Cheeseman). Sarah Corbin is buried at Fishkill, N. Y. She was b. in 1776, at Lawrenceville, L. I. He was b. about 1774, and m. in 1794.

#### Children:

- i. ISAAC. (See later.)
- ii. Benjamin, was a farmer in Penn.
- iii. TALLMAN, went to Penn.

Thomas, lived near Fishkill, N. Y., and had two v. sons, John and Isaac.

WILLIAM. (See later.) vi.

LAWRENCE, lived in Putnam Co., N. Y.; a son, VII. Thomas, had a dau., Amanda, who resides at Newburgh, N. Y., and a dau., Elizabeth, who m. — Thorpe, and lives at Brewster, N. Y.

viii. SARAH, m. Harry Case of Mattawan, N. Y.

Isaac Corbin, son of Jabus, b. at Quaker Hill, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1790; m. Martha Haynes, Nov. 20, 1814; she was b. Jan. 8, 1796. He was a blacksmith and farmer, and d. in 1878 at Johnsville, N. Y.

# Children:

i. Asa B., b. 1816; m. Mary Allen, in 1859; ch.: Grace. b. 1866.

JANE. b. Feb. 17, 1817; m. John Ferris. ii.

iii. EMELINE, b. Oct. 8, 1819; m. Sheldon Haynes.

HELEN M., m. Henry W. Wright; lives at 733 La iv.

Peer Ave., Port Huron, Mich.

Albert W., b. Aug. 27, 1821; m. Julia A. Beardsley V. of New Fairfield, Conn., Nov. 24, 1842. She was b. in 1824 in Conn. Children:

ANN ELIZA, b. Nov. 9, 1845; d. Oct. 16,

1848.

2. ISAAC L., b. Oct. 5, 1849; m. Jennie Sherman, June 14, 1871. She d. in May, 1882, and he m. 2d, Mary F. Allison of Canada. Children:

1. ALBERT I., b. Nov. 16, 1872, or 1873; m. Minnie Brown, in 1890; has ch.: Grace May, b. Dec. 15, 1892; Albert W., b. March 1, 1895; and Julia. b. Sept. 10, 1898. He is a conductor on the N. E. Central R. R., residing at 63 Chestnut St., Hartford, Conn.

2. Annie Maud, b. Feb. 12, 1875; d. April

23, 1875.

3. CHARLES L., b. March 3, 1876; m. Julia Smith, March 7, 1904. Resides in New York city. There were also 8 ch. by 2d m.

3. Annie. b. Jan. 12, 1851; m. Edwin B. Dodge, Feb., 1874; he d. Jan., 1902. They have

one son: res. Pawling, N. Y.

WILLIAM QUINCY CORBIN, son of Jabus, b. in 1800, at Pawlings, N. Y.; m. Mahala Hartwell in 1823; she was b. in 1802, at Haviland Hollow, N. Y., and d. in 1883 at Wicopee, N. Y. He was a blacksmith, and d. at Pawlings, N. Y., in 1886. The first child was b. at Patterson, N. Y., the next six at Cold Springs-on-Hudson, and the last three at Wicopee, N. Y.

# Children:

- i. EGBERT, b. 1824.
- ii. SARAH, b. 1826; m. Cyrus Wiltsie, in 1860; ch., d. at Wicopee, N. Y., 1883.
- iii. James, d. 1836.
- iv. JACOB, d. 1831.
- v. WILLIAM JOHN, b. Feb. 17, 1828.
- vi. Ann, b. 1833; d. 1834.
- vii. MARY, b. 1835; m. Henry Mead about 1857; 4 ch.; res. Mill Plain, near Danbury, Conn.
- viii. CHARLOTTE, m. Theodore Harrison, in 1866; 8 ch.; res. Danbury.
- ix. CAROLINE, b. about 1845; m. H. B. Wigham; res. Norwalk. Children:
  - 1. EVERETT WIGHAM, lives in New York.
  - 2. MABEL WIGHAM, m. ——— Bowman; lives in New Britain.
  - 3. FLORENCE WIGHAM, m. ——— Dalton of . Danbury.
  - 4. Edna Wigham, lives at home.
- x. MARIA, b. 1847; d. 1867, in Wicopee, N. Y.

EGBERT CORBIN (William, Jabus), b. Nov. 4, 1824, at Patterson, N. Y.; m. Mary Elizabeth Wright, Sept. 17, 1851. She was b. Feb. 18, 1833, at Farmer's Mills, N. Y., and d. in 1887 at Danbury, Conn. He now lives at New Haven, Conn. The first child was b. at Farmer's Mills, N. Y., the next six at Fishkill, N. Y., and the last at Hopewell, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. EMILY AUGUSTA, b. July 27, 1852; m. William Henry Ballard, Dec. 25, 1869; 5 ch.; res. Patterson, N. Y.
- ii. WILLIAM JOHN, b. Oct. 4, 1855; m. Nellie V. Martin, Sept. 27, 1882; he is an electrician in New York city, residing at 133 W. 138th St.; 2 ch.; Ethel and Merrill.
- iii. ALBERT EUGENE, b. Sept. 3, 1858; m. Emma A. Williams, Oct. 19, 1884; he is a merchant at Carmel, N. Y.; 2 ch.
- iv. CHARLES FRANKLYN, b. Dec. 13, 1861; is an engineer at Cold Spring-on-Hudson; unm.
- v. Lovena Anna, b. April 6, 1864; a trained nurse at New Haven.
- vi. CAROLINE M., b. April 12, 1868; is a trained nurse at 620 Lexington Ave., New York.
- vii. Howard Henry, b. April 6, 1872; a farmer at Patterson, N. Y.
- viii. Bertina Martha, b. Nov. 2, 1876; is in the telephone exchange at New Haven.

WILLIAM JOHN CORBIN (William, Jabus), b. Feb. 17,

1828; m. Susan Ann Oakley, March 2, 1852, at New Fairfield, Conn.; she was b. Feb. 17, 1830. He was a soldier in the Civil War. Resides at Johnsville, N. Y.

## Children:

- i. WILLIAM HENRY, b. July 1, 1854, at New Fairfield, Conn.; m. Julia Emma Ambler, Dec. 24, 1875, at Danbury, Conn.; she was b. June 19, 1852. They reside at 123 Huron St., Greenpoint, Long Island. Children:
  - 1. Susan Edna, b. June 8, 1879, at New Fairfield, Conn.

2. KITTIE FRANCIS, b. April 20, 1881, at Danbury, Conn.

3. HAZEL MAY, b. Dec. 4, 1883, at Danbury; d. Dec. 20, 1884.

4. PERCY AMBLER, b. Dec. 2, 1885, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; d. Feb. 10, 1889, at Danbury.

ii. Cella M., b. Sept. 23, 1859. at Mill Plain, Conn.; m. Abraham Ballard, April 20, 1876, at New Fairfield, Conn.; he was b. Feb. 16, 1855. Reside at Danbury, Conn. Ch.: Eva St. Clair and Marie Ballard.

EDWARD CORBIN (supposed to be the son of Mac Corbin of North Ireland, probably of Scotch-Irish origin, and who had a brother Peter) m. Charity Colvin of Quaker stock, and had children, Dorcas, Rhoda, Experience, Annie, Betsey, Enoch, Luther, and Elihu.

ELIHU CORBIN m. in Vt. Finella Forbes, whose parents were from the Lowlands of Scotland; she was b. on the ocean during the passage from Scotland; d. in Ohio, aged 64. He d. in Ohio, aged 79.

# Children b. in Middletown, Vt.:

- i. NATHANIEL, m. Lucy Ammock; d. in Jordan, N. Y., leaving 4 or 5 children.
- ii. DIADEMA, m. Harmon Eldridge, and has 2 ch., one named Edwin.
- iii. Elsie, m. John Southard; d. in Jackson, Mich.
- iv. Miriam, m. ——— Crandall, who became a Utah Mormon.
- v. ORAMEL, m. ——; d. of cholera in Rochester, N. Y.
- vi. Alfred, m. Clarissa Biddlecomb; d. in Utica, N. Y., leaving 2 ch.
- vii. AMY, m. A. B. Smith; d. in St. Louis, in 1851.
- viii. CLARK SATERLEE, m. in New Orleans.
- ix. Elihu, b. May 28, 1813.
- x. Finella, m. James; d. in Ohio.

ELIHU CORBIN, JR., b. May 28, 1813; m. Eliza Ann Fish of Stonington, Conn., April 16, 1837, in Cleveland, O.; he d. July 15, 1895, in Plainfield, Ill.

# Children:

- i. ELIZA FINELLA, b. Feb. 8, 1838; d. 1848.
- ii. Francis Emmet, b. Nov. 9, 1840; d. 1847.
- iii. Alfred Tracy, b. Jan. 6, 1843; m. Laura A. Pratt (b. May 10, 1848), in Plainfield, Ill., in 1876; a dau., Grace, b. June 29, ———, m. Charles Davidson of Phænix, Ariz., and has ch.: Harold and Miriam.
- iv. Hannah Joanna, b. Dec. 15, 1844; m. Darius Sullivan, in 1867; he d. April 9, 1892. Ch.: Arthur Corbin Sullivan, b. Nov. 19, 1870, d. Aug. 1, 1888; Alice B. Sullivan, b. Nov. 1, 1878; Emma Holbrook Sullivan, b. April 26, 1881; m. J. C. Hall of Clinton, Mo.
- v. HENRY ELIHU, b. 1847; d. 1848.
- vi. EMILY MARIA. b. Aug. 8, 1849; m., in 1877, Emanuel Holbrook (b. in England; d. in Batavia, Ill., June 14, 1895). Ch.: Tracy Corbin Holbrook, b. Feb. 21, 1888; Leslie I. Holbrook, b. Aug. 28, 1882; Meredith E. Holbrook, b. Oct. 19, 1886.
- vii. Mary Evelin, b. March 5, 1852; res. Plainfield, Ill. viii. Edward Willis, b. March 10, 1855; m. Mary K. Tonner, April 28, 1880; she was b. at San José, Cal.; he d. Dec. 29, 1899. Ch.: Luella, b. Dec. 28, 1883
- ix. Lewis Dillman, b. Aug. 26, 1859.

Obadiah Corbin (son of Dudley or Benjamin?) (perhaps son of Amos, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), b. in Woodstock; m. Amanda Morgan, Jan. 24, 1819, at Preston, Conn. He went from Woodstock to Preston, thence to Norwich Town in 1851, where he d. Sept. 7, 1893. She d. Dec. 15, 1868. He had a brother Benjamin and a sister Salome, who m. ——— Lombard and resided at Hadley, Mass.

## Children:

- i. Charles Child, b. Sept. 15, 1819, at Woodstock; resided in Norwich Town; d. unm., May 1, 1904.
- ii. Phebe Eliza, b. Nov. 30, 1822, at Woodstock; m. James Bussey. They lived at Norwich Town, where he was a tailor. He d. in 1894, and she d. the same year. Children:
  - 1. ALVIN BUSSEY, m. Hattie Crocker; res. Norwich.
    - 2. ALBERT BUSSEY.

- 3. ELEANOR BUSSEY, m. Frank Smith; res. New London.
- 4. FLORENCE BUSSEY, m. Burrill Lathrop; res. Norwich Town; 5 ch.

5. LEWIS BUSSEY, is a tailor at Norwich.

- iii. Dudley Morgan, b. May 1, 1824, at Preston; d. Aug. 24, 1860, at sea.
- iv. Susan Emeline, b. Nov. 24, 1825, at Preston; m. 1st, John McDougald, 2d, Ephraim Lucas. She lives at Norwich Town. Three ch.: John, Charles, and William McDougald.

v. Sally Maria, b. June 29, 1827, at Preston; d. March 14, 1828.

vi. SARAH ANN. b. April 28, 1833, at Norwich; lives at Norwich Town, unm.

vii. ELISABETH, b. Aug. 22, 1834, at Norwich. She was blind and an invalid for many years, but possessed great patience; she d. Feb., 1900.

viii. Jane, b. Nov. 1, 1835; lives at Norwich Town; unm. ix. Juliet W., b. May 11, 1839, at Norwich; m. 1st, John Skinner of New London; m. 2d, John Fiske; res. Fiskeville, R. I. One ch.: Anna Skinner, m. Rudd.

## UNPLACED.

ZERVIAH CORBIN of Woodstock, m. Samuel Morse, Jan. 24, 1771, at Sturbridge. (Morse Genealogy.)

Anne Corbin, m. Abijah Bixby at Thompson, Jan. 23, 1752.

Samuel Corbin, m. Judah Webster at Hampton, Conn., Jan. 23, 1751.

ROBERT CORBIN, m. Mary Gennings at Hampton, Conn., Nov. 7, 1849.

EBENEZER CORBIN (Coburn?) of Dudley, m. Phebe Shapley, Jan. 18, 1738, at Thompson. (Bailey, Conn. Marriages.)

EBENEZER CORBIN of Scotland, Conn., m. Sibil Robinson, Nov. 20, 1777. (Bailey.)

—— Corbin of Charlton, m. Jonathan Upham in 1753, and d. April, 1816; he d. in 1802, aged 77. (Upham Genealogy.)

ASA CORBIN was baptized at Charlton, Oct. 31, 1788. (Ammidon.)

Hannah D. Corbin, b. Aug. 11, 1810, in Washington Co., N. Y.; m. Samuel W. Davis in 1831, and d. Dec. 25, 1873, at Fowler, N. Y. Children: Miranda, Lucinda, Julius, Charlotte, Lucy, Emily, Charles, and Amanda Davis. (Davis Genealogy.)

Hannah Corbin, m. Lester Amadown at Woodstock, Nov. 13, 1832. (Wd. Records.)

DANIEL CORBIN and Esther his wife had:

## Children:

- i. MARY, b. Sept. 26, 1730.
- ii. ELIZABETH, b. July 28, 1736.

Almira Corbin, m. Edward Arnold, Sept. 1, 1835, at Woodstock. (Wd. Records.)

John Corbin, Jr., m. Lydia Keith, April 19, 1788; both of Dudley.

ROYAL CORBIN, m. Jeanette E. Averill, b. in New York; D. A. R. 7943.

ABIGAIL CORBIN, m. Zachariah Waldo of Pomfret, Conn., b. Dec. 26, 1764. (N. E. Gen. Reg., 1898.)

Sarah Corbin, m. William Chapman, May 31, 1780.

Samuel Corbin, age 68, m. Laura Corbin, age 54, in 1849 at Woodstock.

HANNAH CORBIN, m. Edward Ford, March 27, 1856; resided at Canton, St. Lawrence Co., N. Y., and moved to Mich.

# CORBINS IN THE WARS.

The Corbins generally are a peaceable folk, industrious, energetic, and thrifty. But they are true citizens, and when need arises or danger threatens there have been plenty of them to volunteer for military service. Many of them have had titles as officers, such as major, captain, etc. The Sons and Daughters of the Revolution generally seem to find some such ancestor. But there was also at least one private among the Corbins who were soldiers. One of his descendants writes: "I have met a great many people who had ancestors in the Revolution, but they were all generals, colonels, captains, or lieutenants, and as our great-grandfather was the only private that I ever heard of, and thereby the only man behind the guns, the success of the Revolutionary War must have been due to him."

That distinguished living soldier Major-Gen. Henry Clarke Corbin sprang from the Virginia Corbins, so we cannot claim him in our branch. He was born in 1842 in Clermont Co., Ohio, and was the son of Shadrach and Mary Ann Corbin and grandson of Nicholas Corbin, who went from Virginia to Ohio.

I do not know, either, as we can claim that patriotic woman Margaret Corbin, in whose honor the following tablet has been placed in the Holyrood Episcopal Church in New York:

"To the Glory of God and In Patriotic Remembrance of

MARGARET CORBIN.
Wife of JOHN CORBIN. Artilleryman.
At the Battle of Mount
Washington, Nov. 16, 1776,
she stood by her husband's side
during the Hessian assault, and
when he was killed she served his
gun until disabled by a severe wound.
Erected by

MARY WASHINGTON COLONIAL CHAPTER, Daughters of the American Revolution." But nevertheless we have plenty of soldiers in our own branch to justify the newspaper heading prefixed to a list of fifteen Corbin Revolutionary soldiers, "The Corbins were Fighters."

#### I. KING PHILIP'S WAR.

John Corbin, son of Clement, was in Capt. Isaac Johnson's Company, which marched from Roxbury to Rhode Island and took part in the Fort Fight at Mt. Hope, Dec. 19, 1675, which destroyed the Narragansetts. There were 16 men, with 52 "praying Indians," in the company which left Boston July 6, 1675. (History of Roxbury.)

His name is given as from Roxbury in the list of Capt. Johnson's Company, made at Dedham, Dec. 10, 1675.

(Mass. Archives, Vol. 67, p. 293.)

A John Corbin also was in Capt. Henchman's Co. in the Narragansett campaign, and on the pay roll of Dec. 20, 1675, the sum of 16 shillings and 2 pence is given as due to him. This was probably not the same person, as there was another John Corbin in Boston about this time. But that our John Corbin served in this war (though but fifteen years old) is proved by the following:

In later years land in new townships was granted by the Mass. General Court to the soldiers of King Philip's War or their heirs. The last such tract laid out was called "Narragansett Township No. 4," now Greenwich, Mass. Among the soldiers for whom grants were made was John Corbin. But, as he seems to have been dead by this time, the claimant was Nathaniel Sessions of Pomfret, his son-in-law, who married his daughter Joanna at Woodstock in 1707.

#### II. COLONIAL WARS.

# 1. From the N. E. Gen. Register, 1896, p. 71:

In Capt. Thomas Cheney's Co. in the regiment under Gen. Dwight for an expedition against Canada in 1746, and which was dismissed Oct. 31, 1747, were the following:

ISAAC CORBIN.
STEPHEN CORBIN.
JABEZ CORBIN.

# 2. From the Conn. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. IX:

# CAMPAIGN OF 1755.

Daniel Corbin, served Sept. 1-Dec. 5.

JABEZ CORBIN, JR., served Sept. 10-Dec. 5.

Both in the 3d Co. under Major John Payson.

JOHN CORBIN of Killingly, lieut. of same company, served Sept. 1-Dec. 9.

James Corbin, served Sept. 1-Oct. 16.

## CAMPAIGN OF 1756.

Daniel Corbin, in Lieut.-Col. Nathan Payson's Co. On pay roll, June 15.

### CAMPAIGN OF 1757.

Moses Corbin of Danbury (probably not of our branch), in Capt. John Barner's Co. for 18 days' service.

EZRA CORBIN, in Capt. John Carpenter's Co. of Woodstock; marched Aug., 1757; served 16 days.

Daniel Corbin, corporal in do., 16 days' service.

# 3. From Mass. Records:

James Corbin (James, Clement), is mentioned in 1724 as being in Capt. Wm. Chandler's Co.

JOSEPH CORBIN (Jabez, Clement), was in the same, Oct. 30, 1724.

James Corbin (James, James, Clement), is mentioned as a "Centinel" at Boston, June 27, 1749.

THOMAS CORBIN, under Capt. Sam'l Willard, 1748.

ELIPHALET CORBIN (Jabez, Clement), "Centinel," 1749, under Capt. Josiah Willard.

JAMES CORBIN of Dudley (same as above), Feb. 24, 1757.

EPHRAIM CORBIN (James, James, Clement), May 7, 1759, Corporal Jeremiah Larned's Co.

Moses Corbin, 1759, Maj. Ashley.

STEPHEN CORBIN, 1757. Sunderland.

ROBERT CORBIN of Rehoboth (Jabez, Clement), in

Capt. Philip Walker's Co., 1759; is believed to have died in the service and to have been buried at Troy, N. Y.

James Corbin of Charlton (probably same as above), in Capt. Jonathan Fletcher's Co. in 1760.

#### III. THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

The following facts are taken from the two volumes of "Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors in the Revolution" (indicated by "Mass. in Rev."), from the book "Connecticut Men in the Revolution" (indicated by "Conn. in Rev."), from records of the Pension Bureau, and from family tradition. As the record here is abbreviated from those sources, the reader is referred to them for fuller details.

- 1. Amasa Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement). Lexington Alarm, 7 days; in 8th Co., 3d Regt. (Gen. Putnam's), May 10-Dec. 6, 1775; at the capture of Burgoyne, Aug. 23-Nov. 9, 1777, in Capt. Stone's Co. (Conn. in Rev.) Also in Capt. Samuel Clark's Co., Col. Simonds' Regt., for three days in Oct., 1780, in an alarm to the northward. (Mass. in Rev.)
- 2. Lieut. Asa Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement). Lexington Alarm, 5 days; in 8th Co., 3d Regt., May 8-Dec. 14, 1775.
- 3. Asa Corbin (James, James, Clement). In Capt. Nathaniel Healy's Co., Col. Ebenezer Larned's Regt., in the fall of 1775; also in Capt. Nichols' Co., Col. Jonathan Holman's Regt., for five months in 1776, being in the battle of White Plains. Was a pensioner. (Pension Bureau.)
- 4. ASAHEL CORBIN (Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). Lexington Alarm, 5 days; in Lieut. Morris' Co., 11th Conn. Regt., New York, 1776. (Conn. in Rev.)
- 5. ('LEMENT ('ORBIN (Clement, James, Clement). (As both Capt. Clement Corbin, b. 1733, and his son ('lement, b. 1764, were soldiers in the Revolution, it is rather difficult to tell to which each record applies. It is believed, however, that the following is correct.) In Capt. Samuel ('handler's Co., 11th Regt., 1776; was in march to Westchester, Sept. 14, 1776; sergeant in Capt. Williams' Co., Col. Johnson's Regt., in Jan., 1788, in Rhode Island. (Conn. in Rev.)

- 6. CLEMENT CORBIN (Clement, Clement, James, Clement). In Capt. Erastus Wolcott's Co., Col. Grosvenor's Regt., from Dec., 1780, to the end of the Revolution; was made sergeant for meritorious service; was a pensioner in New Hampshire in 1818 as a Revolutionary soldier from Connecticut. (Pension Bureau.)
- 7. Daniel Corbin of Winchester, Conn. (Probably not a descendant of Clement.) Enlisted Dec. 23, 1776, as a minute man. (Conn. in Rev.)
- 7½. David Corbin of New Fairfield, Conn. Corporal in Col. Lamb's Artillery, 1777 to 1782.
- 8. ELIJAH CORBIN (Clement, James, Clement). Lexington Alarm, 7 days; sergeant in Capt. Samuel Chandler's Co., Col. Eb. Williams' (11th) Regt., 1776, around New York. (Conn. in Rev.)
- 9. ELIPHALET CORBIN (Robert, Jabez, Clement), from Rehoboth, Mass. Served in Capt. Bliss' Co., Col. Walker's Regt., 3 months, 11 days in 1775; also in Capt. Drown's Co., 1776; also in Capt. Joseph Perry's Co. Was a pensioner from Mass. (Mass. in Rev.)
- 10. ELISHA CORBIN (Elisha, James, Clement) of Dudley, Mass. Lexington Alarm, 6 days, in Capt. Eb. Craft's Troop, Col. Larned's Regt.; sergeant in Capt. Samuel Curtiss' Co., Col. Larned's Regt., enlisted April 26, 1775, served 3 months, 13 days; in Capt. Nathaniel Healy's Co., Col. Jonathan Holman's Regt., at Fort Edward, Oct. 17, 1777, service 16 days; served also 9 months from arrival at Fishkill, June 7, 1778. Age 32, height 5 ft. 10 inches, complexion light.
- 11. Elkanah Corbin (James, James, Clement). Lexington Alarm, 7 days. (Conn. in Rev.) In Capt. Jonathan Houghton's Co., Col. Smith's Regt. (Mass. in Rev.)
- 12. EPHRAIM CORBIN (James, James, Clement) of Dudley. Private in Capt. Healy's Co., alarm of April 19, 1775; sergeant in do., enl. April 27, 1775, served 3 months, 11 days; sergeant in Capt. Abel Mason's Co., Col. Job Cushing's Regt., Aug. 16, 1777, to Nov. 30, 1777, in the Northern Army. (Mass. in Rev.)
- 13. EZEKIEL CORBIN (Jabez, Jabez, Clement). In Capt. Banister's Co., Col. David Wells' Regt., May 8 to July 8, 1777; marched to Ticonderoga. (Mass. in Rev.)

14. James Corbin (James, James, Clement). Probably in Capt. Samuel Flower's Co., Col. John Greaton's Regt., July 10, 1779, to April 10, 1780, and from July 9, 1780, to Oct. 10, 1780. (Mass. in Rev.; it is difficult to tell whether this service belongs to the father or son; the father is said to have lost a leg in the Revolution.)

15. James Corbin (James, James, James, Clement), afterwards "Dr. James." Enl. from Charlton. In Capt. Lamb's Co., Col. Davis' Regt.; age 17; marched to Spring-

field, July 8, 1779, for 9 months. (Mass. in Rev.)

16. Job Còrbin (probably not from Clement), from Berkshire Co., Mass. In Capt. Wilcox's Co., July 8 to 21, 1777; also in Capt. E. Fitch's Co., July 21 to Aug. 14, 1777. (Mass. in Rev.)

- 17. Jonathan Corbin (Jabez, Jabez, Clement). In Capt. Manning's Co., 2d Regt. Conn. Line; enl. May 26, 1777; served 8 months, to Jan. 9, 1778; was on the Hudson, at Valley Forge, Monmouth, and Stony Point. (Conn. in Rev.)
- 18. John Corbin (*Philip, James, Clement*) (?). Lexington Alarm, 6 days under Capt. Nathaniel Marcy. (Conn. in Rev.)
- 19. John Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement). Probably the one who marched under Capt. David Noble, April 22, 1775, from Pittsfield, Mass., to Cambridge for 6 months; also in Lieut. Ford's Co., Col. Rossiter's Berkshire Regt., Aug. 13 to 20, 1777, at Bennington. (Mass. in Rev.) This John Corbin was called "Captain," but whether he officially held that rank during the Revolution is uncertain. Family tradition also says that he was present at the battle of Bemis' Heights and at Burgoyne's surrender.
- 20. Joseph Corbin (John, Jabez, Clement). Enl. at Killingly, Conn., Sept. 1776, for three months under Capt. Samuel Chandler, Col. Dennison; enl. Dec., 1776, for two months under the same captain; enl. for one month in the fall of 1778 at Williamstown, Mass., under Capt. Clark, Col. Simons; enl. in the spring of 1779 for three weeks under the same; was in Capt. Sloan's Co., Col. Bain's Regt., Oct. 11 to 22, 1781, from Berkshire Co., Mass., on an alarm to Saratoga. He applied for a pension at Champlain, N. Y., and received \$22.33 per

annum from March 4, 1831. (Conn. and Mass. in Rev.; Records of Pension Office.)

21. Joshua Corbin (Elisha, James, Clement) of Dudley. In Capt. Healy's Co., Col. Holman's Regt., at Fort Edward, Oct. 17, 1777, for 30 days; also in Capt. Nichols' Co., Col. Holman's Regt., Gen. Fallow's Brigade, five months; was at the battle of White Plains in 1776. A pensioner. (Mass. in Rev. and Pension Bureau.)

- 22. Lemuel Corbin (Philip, James, Clement), from Dudley. In Capt. Craft's Troop, alarm of April 19, 1775, for 10 days; sergeant in Capt. Healy's Co., marched to Rhode Island on alarm of Dec., 1776, for 21 days; was at Providence, Jan. 21, 1777; lieut. in Capt. Hamant's Co., Col. Denny's Regt., Oct. 18, 1779; disch. Nov. 23, 1779; captain in Col. Davis' Regt., July 30 to Aug. 12, 1780, on an alarm to Rhode Island; captain of the 12th Co., 5th Worcester County Regiment, Mass. Militia, in 1780. (Mass. in Rev., where the name Samuel is incorrectly inserted.)
- 23. Moses Corbin (James, James, Clement). Lexington Alarm, five days. (Conn. in Rev.) Perhaps this Moses was also the one who was sergeant in Capt. Fitch's Co., Col. Hopkins' Regt. from Berkshire, July 15 to Aug. 3, 1776, on an alarm to the Highlands, N. Y. A "Moses Corben" was in Capt. John King's Co., Col. John Brown's Berkshire Regt., from June 29 to July 27, 1777.
- 24. NATHANIEL CORBIN (Elisha, James, Clement). Drummer in Capt. Curtis' Co., Col. Larned's Regt.; enl. May 1, 1775; served three months, eight days. Enlisted also from Ludlow, Mass., as corporal in Capt. Mason's Co., Col. Cushing's Regt., Aug. 16 to Nov. 30, 1777; drafted at Sturbridge, Mass., for service in the Northern Army. Perhaps he is also the "Nathan Corbin" given in "Mass. in Rev." in Capt. Stutson's Co., Major Proctor's detachment of militia, Dec. 10, 1777, to March 1, 1778. (Mass. in Rev.)
- 25. Peleo Corbin (Samuel, James, Clement). Lexington Alarm, four days; doubtless in other service.
- 26. Peter Corbin of Winchester, Conn. (not from Clement). In Conn. militia, Col. Canfield, 1781; July 16 to Dec. 3, 1780, on the Hudson. (Conn. in Rev.) He

went to Saratoga in 1776 in 8th Conn. Regt. (See History of Winghester)

tory of Winchester.)

27. PHILIP CORBIN (Philip, James, Clement) (?). In Capt. Wildman's Co., 16th Conn. Regt., on an alarm expedition to Fairfield, Norwalk, etc., July, 1779.

28. Capt. Samuel. Corbin (Samuel, James, Clement), Dudley, a captain in the Revolution (?), of the 12th Co., 5th Worcester County Regt. of Mass. Militia (?). (Mass. in Rev.) Lemuel Corbin was captain of this company.

29. Stephen Corbin (Elisha, James, Clement) of Dudley. In Capt. Coburn's Co., Col. Grout's Regt.; age 20, farmer at Dudley; enl. Jan. 2, 1781, for three years in the Continental Army; received bounty April

18, 1781, for this enlistment. (Mass. in Rev.)

Enl. from Dudley, Mass., as a private under Capt. Edes, in Col. Henry Jackson's 9th Mass. Regt., transferred to the company of Capt. Bradford, Col. Sprout's 2d Mass. Regt.; disch. Dec. 23, 1783, at West Point, N. Y. Applied for pension June 11, 1818, while a resident of Campbell, N. Y. (Records of Pension Bureau.)

- 30. Timothy Corbin (James, James, Clement) of Dudley. In Capt. Nichols' Co., Col. Holman's Regt., Gen. Fallow's Brigade, for five months in 1776, around New York; was in the battle of White Plains. (From affidavits in Pension Bureau with reference to Asa Corbin.)
- 31. WILLIAM CORBIN (Philip, James, Clement). Lexington Alarm, six days; other service. (Conn. in Rev.)

(Besides the above there are in the volumes mentioned many by the name of Corben, Coburn, Cobin, etc., some of whom may belong to our race, as the spelling was very free and easy in those days.)

#### IV. WAR OF 1812.

I. From "Conn. Men in Rev., War of 1812, and Mexican War."

AARON (Peleg, Samuel, Samuel). Sergt. at New London under John Chandler. June 21, 1813-June 24, 1813.

AARON. Sergt. at New London under Jacob Lyon, June 5-July 15, 1813.

ABEL (William, Philip, James). Private at New London under Samuel Dresser, June 21-July 15, 1813.

ALPHEUS (Moses, James, James). Captain, New London, under Col. Jonathan Lyon, June 21, 1813-July 15, 1813.

James. Private at New London under Ebenezer Kelly, June 21, 1813-July 24, 1813.

James. Private at New London, June 25-July 15, 1813, under Solomon Sikes.

Solomon (John, Philip, James, Clement). Lieut. at New London under Hadlock Perrin, June 21, 1813-July 14, 1813.

# II. Other Sources:

Josiah Corbin (Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement).

CAPT. JOHN CORBIN (Asa, John, Jabez, Clement). From S. Williamstown, Mass.; lieut. and captain.

### V. THE CIVIL WAR, 1861-1865.

(This list may not be complete, but it includes all that have come to the notice of the compiler.)

I. Descendants of Clement Corbin:

1. AARON FOSTER (Aaron, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. H, 16th Iowa Vol. Inf.; enl. Dec. 20, 1861, for three years; d. June 10, 1862, at Corinth, Miss.

- 2. ABEL RATHBONE (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement). Co. H, 14th N. Y. Vols.; mustered in Aug., 1862; prom. corporal and 2d lieut.; d. at Brasher City, La., May 31, 1863.
- 3. CHARLES (James, James, James, James, Clement), of Newport, N. H.; col. of 31st N. H. Regt.
- 4. Charles (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), Co. D, 26th Iowa Vol. Inf., enl. Aug. 12, 1862; wounded Jan. 11, 1863; mustered out June 6, 1865.
- 5. CHARLES M. (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). Tenth R. I., May 26, 1862-Sept. 1, 1862.
- 6. CHARLES N. (John, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Drafted Dec. 22, 1863, for three years; served in 14th N. H. Inf.; must. out July 8, 1865.
- 7. Chauncey L. (Ichabod, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Musician Co. B, 14th N. H.

Vols.; disch. diability Jan. 19, 1864; enl. also at Springfield, Vt., Aug. 18, 1864, in 10th Vt.; wounded Oct. 19, 1864; must. out May 22, 1865.

8. CLARENCE EUGENE (Nelson, Ebenezer, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). 109th N. Y. Vols. for 3

years; was at the storming of Petersburg.

9. CLEMENT CLAY (Henry Payson, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). 8th Wis. Vol. Inf.; d. at Pilot Knob, Mo., in 1864.

10. Daniel L. (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement,

James, Clement). 136th N. Y. Vols., 3 years.

- 11. DAVID P. (Benjamin, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). 1st Lieut. Co. G, 22d Conn. Vol.; enl. Aug. 25, 1862, for 9 months; promoted captain March 2, 1863; must. out July 7, 1863.
- 12. ELIAKIM L. (Horace, Eliakim, Peleg, Samuel, James, Clement). Asst. Surgeon, 156th N. Y. Vols.
- 13. Emmons B. (Isaac, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jabez, Clement). Corporal Co. A, 1st Conn. Heavy Artillery, May 22, 1861-May 21, 1864.
- 14. Frank (Whitman, Amasa, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement), d. at Andersonville, Ga., in 1864.
- 15. FRANK S. (William, Timothy, James, James, Clement). 1st Lieut. Co. I, 15th Mass. Vols.; killed in the battle of Antietam, Sept. 17, 1862.
- 16. George G. (Simeon, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement). Co. H. 2d N. Y. Flying Artillery.
- 17. George H. (Jared, Solomon, John, Philip, James, Clement). Co. K, 7th Regt. Conn. Inf.; mustered in Aug. 22, 1861; killed June 16, 1862, at James Island, S. C.
- 18. George W. (Hamlin, Asa, John, Jabez, Clement). Lieut. in Co. I, 9th Iowa Vols.; d. Jan. 2, 1863.
- 19. Henry B. (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Battery D, 1st Mich. Artillery; prom. from lieut. to captain; in battles of Pittsburg Landing. Stone River, Tenn., Perryville, Ky., Chickamauga, and others.
- 20. HERBERT W. (Charles, Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement). Co. C, 41st Iowa Vol. Inf., and Co. M, 7th Cav., Oct. 12, 1861-June 22, 1866; promoted to 1st corporal.
  - 21. Hiram D. (Simeon J., Elkanah, Elkanah, James,

- James, Clement). Co. K, 88th Ill. Vols.; d. at Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 25, 1863.
- 22. HIRAM S. (Daniel, Daniel, Elijah, Clement, James, Clement). Co. C, 88th N. Y. Vols., Nov. 7, 1861-1865; prisoner at Andersonville.
- 23. HIRON F. (John S., Abel, William, Philip, James, Clement). Co. E, 5th Mich. Cavalry, in 1862.
- 24. JACOB B. (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. H, 8th Wis. Vol. Inf., Aug. 27, 1861-Sept. 16, 1864; in thirty battles.
- 25. James P. (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). 2d Lieut. in a Wis. regt.
- 26. James Willard (Ichabod, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). 14th N. H. Vol. Inf.; enl. Sept. 22, 1862; must. out July 8, 1865.
- 27. John (Daniel, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement).
- 28. John (Ezbond, Clement, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). In a Mich. regt.; d. at Chattanooga, Sept. 27, 1863.
- 29. John L. (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. C, 2d Pá. Artillery, March 28, 1864-May 30, 1865.
- 30. Lewis D. (Henry, Thomas, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. A, 46th Mass. Vol. Inf.; enl. at Springfield, Mass., Sept. 25, 1862.
- 31. Levi D. (Hezekiah, Samuel, Eliphalet, Robert, Jobez, Clement). 1st Serg. Co. I, 1st Conn. Vol. Cav.; enl. Dec. 16, 1863; killed April 6, 1865, at Harper's Farm, Va.
- 32. Lucian B. (Lucian, Rufus, Timothy, James, James, Clement). Co. G. 4th Mass. Cav.; enl. March 1, 1864; d. May 8, 1865, at Hampton Hospital, Va.
- 33. Marcus M. (Hiram, Timothy, Timothy, James, James, Clement). Drummer in 21st Regt., Mass. Vol. Inf.; d. at Newbern, N. C., May 12, 1862.
- 34. MELZAR M. (Simeon, Elkanah, Elkanah, James, James, Clement). Co. G, 106th N. Y. for 3 years; in 22 engagements; wounded 3 times.
- 35. Miner H. (Healy, Philip, Lemuel, Philip, James, Clement). Co. G, 22d Conn. Vols., Sept. 5, 1862-July 7, 1863.

- 36. Monroe H. (James, Timothy, James, James, Clement). Co. A, 56th Mass. Vol. Inf.; disch. for disability Dec. 20, 1864.
- 37. Monroe J. (Samuel, Samuel, Timothy, James, James, Clement).
- 38. Myron Milton (Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). 12th Kansas Vols., 1861-1865.
- 39. ORLANDO (Daniel, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement).
- 40. ORRIN A. (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. H, 46th Ill. Inf., Feb., 1864-May 21, 1865.
- 41. NATHAN A. (Nathan, David, Asahel, Benjamin, Jabez, Clement). Co. K, 45th Ill., for 3 years; was with Sherman on his march to the sea.
  - 42. ROYAL (Josiah, Joseph, John, Jabez, Clement).
- 43. Rufus E. (Lucian, Rufus, Timothy, James, James, Clement). Co. I, 15th Mass. Vols.; enl. July 1, 1861; disch. Nov. 15, 1865.
- 44. THOMAS MORRIS (Penuel, Clement, Clement, James, Clement), from Wis.; wounded and discharged in 1864.
- 45. WILLIAM (Royal, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement), in 26th Iowa Vol. Inf.
- 46. WILLIAM P. (Chauncey, Oliver, Clement, Clement, James, Clement). Co. C, 2d Penn. Provisional Artillery, March 28, 1864-May 23, 1865; wounded before Petersburg.
- 47. Winson (Carleton, Joshua, Elisha, James, Clement).
- II. Others unplaced or not descended from Clement Corbin.
- 1. Amasa, of Scituate, R. I.; 7th R. I. Regt., Sept. 6, 1862-Dec. 24, 1862, when he d. of disease near Falmouth, Va.
- 2. Charles (Edmund, Peter, Job, Peter), of Schaghticoke, N. Y. In 125th N. Y. Vols.
- 3. David T., Vermont. Capt. Co. C, 3d Vt. Regt.; commissioned May 23, 1861; wounded and taken prisoner June 29, 1862; paroled July 17, 1862. Discharged Sept. 12, 1862, for disab.

- 4. Daniel O., from Franklin, Mass. Co. H, 18th Mass. Vol. Inf.; must. in Aug. 15, 1861 (age 19); disch. Jan. 22, 1863, for disab.
- 5. Edward, Conn. Co. G, 13th Conn. Inf.; enl. Aug. 12, 1862; deserted Aug. 8, 1864.
- 6. Frank, from Weymouth, Mass. Co. C, 4th Regt., Mass. Vol. Inf.; must. in April 22, 1861, at age of 30 for three months.
- 7. George L., Sherman, Conn. Co. D, 28th Conn. Inf., Nov. 15, 1862-Aug. 28, 1863.
- 8. George, Jamaica, Vt. In Vt. Regt. from Dec. 24, 1863, to Aug. 31, 1864 (deserted).
- 9. George C., Worcester, Vt. 11th Vt. Regt., Dec. 10, 1863-April 11, 1864; disch. for disab.
- 10. Job, Grand Isle, Vt. Assistant Surgeon, May, 1861 to 1867, on U. S. vessels.
- 11. John D., from Lowell, Mass. Mustered in Aug. 22, 1864, at age of 19; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps; disch. for disab. Aug. 20, 1865.
- 12. ROBERT, from Stamford, Conn. Co. I, 7th Conn. Inf., Oct. 27, 1864-July 19, 1865.
- 13. Roswell L., from Weymouth, Mass. Co. G, 4th Mass. Heavy Art.; must. in Aug. 16, 1864, at age of 32; disch. June 17, 1865.
- 14. Thomas P., Co. C, 43d Indiana; d. at Montrose, Mo., March 20, 1895.
- 15. WILLIAM, from Windsor, Conn. Co. A, 22d Conn. Regt.; Sept. 20, 1862-July 7, 1863.

Also Josiah B., of Cornwall, Conn., in 2d Conn. Heavy Artillery; Daniel S. Corbin, Sr., in 34th and 169th N. Y. Regiments; Daniel S. Corbin, Jr., of Bath, N. Y., in 34th N. Y. Regt., killed at Fair Oaks, Va., May 31, 1862; and Perry B. Corbin. (See Dutchess County Corbins in Appendix.)

#### LETTER FROM GEN. HENRY C. CORBIN.

HEADQUARTERS PHILIPPINES DIVISION, MANILA.

February 24, 1905.

Mr. H. M. LAWSON, Hanover, Connecticut.

My Dear Sir: — I am in receipt of yours of January 10th, inclosing circulars, and making inquiries concerning the genealogy of my people.

In brief, I was born in Clermont County, Ohio, on the 15th of September, 1842. I am the oldest son of Shadrach and Mary Ann Corbin. My mother was Mary Ann Clark. Both my father and mother were natives of the county in which I was born. My father, having been born in 1810, was among the oldest native born of that part of the state. He died two years ago this month, being in the ninety-third year of his age at the time of his death.

My father's father's name was Nicholas, who, in about the year 1790, married Mary Ann Inloes, of the eastern shore of Maryland. My great-grandfather was John Corbin, who served as an enlisted man in the 3d Virginia Infantry during the War of the Revolution. His wife's maiden name was Peddicord. His father's name was Nathan. This is as far back as I have definite information of my

ancestry.

There are two traditions in the family,—one that we are the descendants of two brothers who came to this country from the north of Wales along with the expedition of Lord Baltimore early in the seventeenth century and settled in Virginia. Another tradition is that, coming from the north of Wales and landing somewhere on the middle Atlantic coast, they reached Virginia by the way of New England. This story I have never been able to verify.

My life, as you can understand, since eighteen years of age, the time I entered the Army, has mostly been away from home. The older members of my family have long since passed away, and the most of the information that I give you comes from things that were told me when I was a boy, and have since been verified by the

gravestones in the family burying ground.

My great-grandfather, very soon after the Revolutionary War, located my grandfather and his brother in southern Ohio, where, on the farms where he located, the family have lived ever since. Just how many of the family were left in Virginia I never have known. There are, however, to my knowledge, quite a number of them living on the James River at this time. I have had invitations from time to time to visit them, which I regret very much I have never been able to do.

If in the genealogical work in which you are engaged you can find the connecting link, I shall be very much gratified, and shall be glad to answer any further direct inquiries that the information I

give you suggests.

I have referred your letter and circular to Judge Perry J. Nichols, Batavia. Ohio, who has knowledge of the time and place of the marriage of my grandfather. Inquiry from the local records at the places that he may name may possibly be of assistance to you.

Very truly yours,

HENRY C. CORBIN.

Judge Nichols, referred to above, a life-long friend of Gen. Corbin, has sent the following:

Clermont County is on the Ohio River, about sixteen miles above Cincinnati. Point Pleasant, a small village within its borders, is known the world over as the birthplace of General Grant. Within two miles of Point Pleasant yet stands the old home of the Corbins, where General Henry C. Corbin was born. Some twelve miles from this place is the pretty little village of Batavia, where the old church occupied and used by Henry Ward Beecher is pointed out to strangers who visit the village.

This county is only about one hundred years old, and from its

homes have gone out into the world these three great men.

General Corbin acquired his education at "Parker's Academy," a school known throughout the state for its efficiency in fine moral and educational qualities. General Corbin's eminent success through life may in part be attributed to the impressions received from this

old Academy in Clermont County.

When the great Civil War was upon us he was among the very first to enlist, and no young man entered the service of his country with more enthusiasm than he. When the war was over his merit was recognized by the eminent men of the land, and he was soon called to Washington city, where he became the trusted adviser and friend of not only one president but of all the presidents since that time.

When President Garfield fell by the cruel shot of the assassin no one outside of his immediate family was admitted with so much confidence to the home circle and even to the room where the president

lay dying as was he.

The writer visited Washington soon after General Corbin had come to be known in that city, and was introduced by him to many of the foreign ministers and consuls and leading men of the various departments, and, on his return to Ohio, remarked to his friends that General Corbin's congenial nature and easy bearing, together with his fine personality, would soon place him with the great men of the world, and that time and events would make him one among the foremost men of his country.

These thoughts have been more than verified. Often a man looms up in one administration at Washington city, and then the end comes; but not so with General Corbin, he was never shaken in the position he had gained, but steadily and surely advanced until he had reached the topmost rung, and is now placed by President Roosevelt in one of the most responsible and delicate positions, one of national and international importance, and while Gov. Taft was complimented throughout the world for his masterly movements in the Philippines, both civil and military, General Corbin in taking his place has strengthened and amplified the great work begun by his predecessor.

General Corbin's wife, Edyth Patten Corbin, was born and raised in Washington city. She has been a great traveler, and is now with the General in Manila, and, like her husband, has put aside her many friends and life-long associations at the national capital to aid in the development and betterment of the new people. She is refined and accomplished in every sense of the word, and gives

great assistance to the General in his new field of action.

P. J. NICHOLS.

Batavia, Ohio, April 8, 1905.

# THE JENNINGS ESTATE OF ENGLAND.

About the year 1855 there was a great deal of interest and excitement among the Corbins in America concerning the Jennings estate in England. A wealthy Mr. Jennings there had married a Miss Corbin, daughter of Peter This Peter Corbin willed his property to his She had two brothers, Peter and Robert, who both died without heirs. Both Mr. Jennings and his wife died without issue, and leaving no near relatives. estate was variously reported as amounting to from £2,000,-000 to £40,000,000, the latter probably vastly exaggerated. This fortune, whatever it was, was kept according to the secure laws of the British government, — until the rightful heirs should appear and prove their claims. The newspapers both in England and America published glaring accounts of it, and consequently there was a stir of excitement among those who bore the name of Jennings or of The various branches of Corbins in this country held meetings and appointed agents to take steps to secure this fortune. A great interest in genealogy was suddenly Such interest was usually very little at that aroused. The compiler has made efforts to find what results were obtained in tracing the ancestry of the Corbins back to England, and in establishing the relationship of the various branches of Corbins north and south in America, but with little result. Probably these things were never made out, although confident assertions were made that there was no doubt that the relationship to Mrs. Jennings could be proved. .

The Corbins of Bainbridge, Chenango Co., N. Y., appointed Squire Corbin as their agent. He was eager in the quest, and made a trip west in 1855 to look up Corbins and get them to act together. He reported finding Hollis Corbin in Michigan, who could only trace the Corbins back to Dudley. A William G. Corbin of Ann Arbor said that his uncle, Peter Corbin of Buffalo, could trace his lineage to 1604. Squire Corbin also made a trip to Virginia and North Carolina to take up the matter. But

those that he saw were wealthy, and did not care to go to the trouble of what might prove a wild goose chase.

John A. Corbin of Owego was another agent to interest parties. Another heir, Corbin Kidder, was going to start for England to get the money. He thought "it was not best to make it public except among relations, for he might be robbed or murdered on his way back."

Many of these Corbins seem to have had great expectations aroused and bright anticipations of becoming suddenly wealthy. In view of the outcome, some of the old letters on the subject seem almost ludicrous if not pathetic. But the only Corbin that the compiler ever heard of who ever made anything out of the Jennings estate was S. C. Corbin of Copenhagen, N. Y., who sold out his claim for \$10 to an eager buyer. I heard, however, that one of the Jennings heirs sold his interest for \$50,000!

It seems that the Jennings family carried the matter farther than the Corbins. They formed an association, and sent agents to England to investigate and lay claim to the estate. The report of these agents was published under the title "Report to the Jennings Association." They found that the stories of the property were greatly exaggerated, and that the estate was already in the possession of a Jennings heir in England.

Sic transit divitiarum expectatio!

# CORBIN FAMILY REUNIONS.

Various local branches of the Corbin race have held reunions from time to time. The Corbins of Bainbridge, N. Y., who are numerous and closely related, and who mostly live in the same region, hold an annual reunion on the fourth of July, with an attendance of some fifty or sixty, including intermarried families.

In 1903, and again in 1904, there were held delightful reunions of the descendants of Dea. Penuel Corbin of West Woodstock, Conn., at Roseland Park, Woodstock. These included also the Kinneys, an intermarried family. These Corbins have continued to live within ten miles of where Clement Corbin and his son James settled at Woodstock in 1687, that is for more than two hundred years.

At the reunion in 1904 it was voted to extend an invitation to the Corbins everywhere to a general reunion to be held in the same place in August, 1905, and a committee of arrangements was appointed, with the present compiler as chairman.

The first attempt at a general Corbin reunion was made in the summer of 1904, when Mr. Amasa Corbin of Gouverneur, N. Y., extended an invitation to a hundred Corbins, representing the various branches of the family, to accept his hospitality for a few days at the Murray Hill Hotel on Murray Isle, Thousand Islands. In response to this generous invitation a number of Corbins from various localities came together on the fifth and sixth of July and remained until the ninth. The number would have been larger had it occurred at a different time of the year and a longer notice been given. But those present, who were mostly strangers to each other at first, soon formed delightful friendships, and the days passed quickly and pleasantly, interspersed with excursions and sails in that delightful region. The host was assisted by his talented niece, Mrs. Alice Livingstone, and her versatile husband, Rev. C. A. Livingstone, who made it very pleasant for all. The family historian passed a busy time securing information from each one for the book. On the Friday evening before the party was to break up a banquet was held, after which each one was called on for a speech, and very interesting they were. Among those present were Rev. S. C. Corbin of Copenhagen, N. Y., whose white head was "a crown of glory" and whose winsome spirit will make him pleasantly remembered by all present; Mr. H. A. Corbin, "the Friendship Corbin," who with his wife and other members of the family came from Friendship, N. Y.; Mr. Jay S. Corbin, brother of the host, from Gouverneur, N. Y., whose vigorous and picturesque political discussions aroused much interest; Mr. Bruce Corbin, a student in Syracuse University, preparing for the Methodist ministry; Mr. John W. Corbin, a genial gentleman from New York, who with his skill in diagnosing diseases discovered that the host was suffering from "enlargement of the heart"; Mrs. Margaret Corbin of Albany, who is "proud to be a Corbin," and whose husband, Ernest Corbin, did so much pioneer work on this genealogy; Mr. and Mrs.

Webb Corbin of Dryden, N. Y., and several others. After passing a hearty vote of thanks to the host for his kind hospitality, the party broke up and the next morning separated with the hope that other such reunions might be held in the future.

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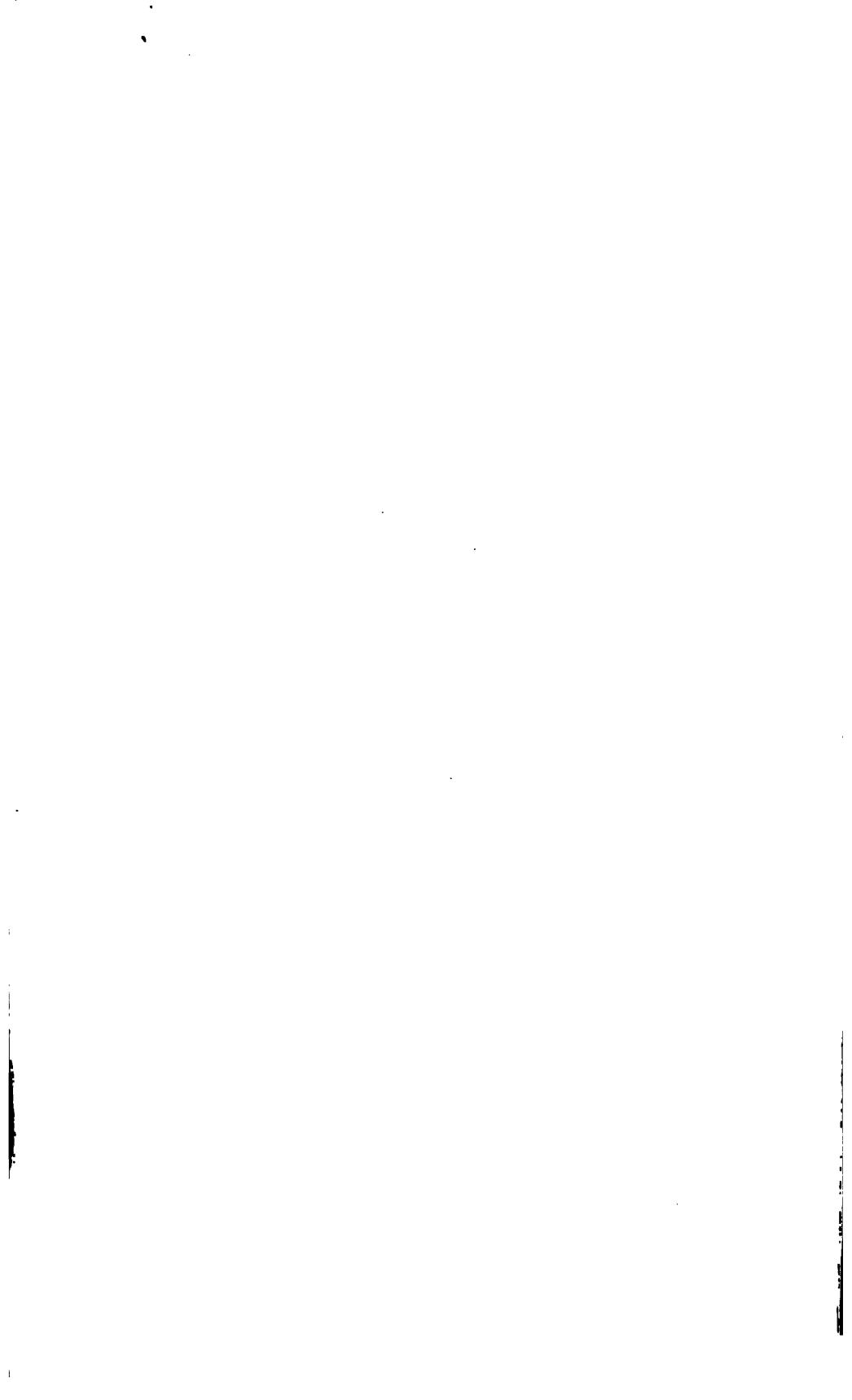
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